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TOWN OF

FREMONT

NEW HAMPSHIRE

**ANNUAL
REPORTS**

For the fiscal year

1979

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE
Selectmen, Treasurer
and all other
Officers and Committees
for the

Town of Fremont,

New Hampshire

For the fiscal year ending December 31, 1979.

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*With gratitude for faithful devotion to the youth
and the town of Fremont we dedicate this
Annual Town Report
to*



RICHARD P. (DICK) STANLEY
1935 - 1979

Planning Board 1969 - 1979
Fremont Little League 1966 - 1979
Fremont Pony League 1973 - 1974
Fremont Boy Scouts 1964 - 1974
Board of Adjustment 1977 - 1979
Fremont Fire Dept. 1963 - 1979
Memorial Park Comm. 1969 - 1979

TOWN OFFICERS AND BOARDS

SELECTMEN

George H. Baker, Jr.	1980
Charles M. Healey	1981
Robert A. Waddell	1982

TOWN CLERK

Elizabeth J. Stanley	1980
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DEPUTY TOWN CLERK

Mary A. Anderson	1980
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TREASURER

Ruth Doucette	1980
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TAX COLLECTOR

Mary A. Anderson	1980
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LIBRARY TRUSTEES

John L. Gieroch	1980
Lucy Schramm	1981
Orvis Johnson	1982

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

Philip A. Davis, Jr.	1980
Thomas R. Hull	1981
George H. Bassett	1982

MODERATOR

Stuart Langton	1980
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SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST

Barbara Baker	1980
Henry E. Turner	1982
Matthew Thomas	1984

POLICE CHIEF

Richard P. Johnson	1980
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ROAD AGENT

Leon F. Holmes, Sr.	1980
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AUDITOR

Herman Ostendorf, Resigned	1980
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APPOINTED OFFICIALS

Director of Civil Defense	Glen Hutchins
Overseer of Public Welfare	Charles M. Healey
Superintendent of Cemetery	Charles M. Healey

Ballot Inspectors	Dorothy Beede Vera Crooker (Resigned) Mildred Balestra Roberta Huckins Carrie Gove
Police Officers	Gordon E. Copp David Menter Philip E. Copp, Jr. (Resigned) Wayne Robinson (Resigned) Guerwood Holmes
Fire Department	Chief, Richard Heselton
Fire Warden	Richard Heselton
Deputy Fire Wardens	Gordon E. Copp Henry Turner Lloyd Metevier George McIntosh Charles Rowe John D. Tibbetts
Librarian	Helen Seavy
Dog Constables	Police
Animal Control Officer	James McKay
Health Officer	Kenneth Shute
Building Inspector	Kenneth Shute

PLANNING BOARD

Hollis Anderson III - <i>Resigned</i>	1980
Robert C. Larson	1980
Stephen Menard	1981
Robert Terry	1982
Elmer A. Schramm	1983
Charles K. Rowe	1984
Richard P. Stanley, <i>Deceased</i>	1985
George Johnson, Sr.	1985

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Henry Turner	1980
Richard P. Stanley, <i>Deceased</i>	1981
Charles K. Rowe	1981
Roberta Huckins	1982
Larry A. Whitman	1983

ALTERNATES TO BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

John L. Gieroch
Clinton Ebert
David Lafayette

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Judy Butler	1980
Wayne Brouillette	1980
Joan Langton	1980
Thomas R. Hull	1981
Elmer A. Schramm	1981
Philip Peterson, <i>Resigned</i>	1982
David Janes	1982
Robert Rydeen	1982

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Ann Davis	1980
Charles Buhrman	1981
Robert F. Stackpole	1982
Mary T. Stiner, <i>School Board Representative</i>	
Robert A. Waddell, <i>Selectmen's Representative</i>	

REPRESENTATIVE TO EXETER AREA VISITING NURSE

Rev. Thomas E. Thies

Warrant for Town Meeting

To the inhabitants of the Town of Fremont in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Fremont Town Hall in said Fremont on Tuesday the Eleventh day of March next at ten of the Clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$112,700.00 as its proportional share of the estimated cost of reconstructing Bridge No. 096/095 on the Sandown Road, so called, a Class V Highway, under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA Chapter 33 and any amendments thereto), and any other enabling authority; and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and sell such Bonds or Notes and determine the rate of interest to be paid thereon as may be necessary to effect the financing of said sum and the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such Bonds or Notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town; and authorize the Selectmen to apply for an receive Town Bridge Aid, so-called, from the State of New Hampshire, Department of Public Works and Highways, all pursuant to the terms and provisions of RSA Chapter 242 as amended, and to apply for and to accept State and Federal Aid grants in aid on said project.

(2/3 Ballot Vote required for passage)

3. To see if the Town will vote to establish in accordance with the provisions of RSA 35 a Capital Reserve Fund for the reconstruction of Bridge No. 096/095 on Sandown Road and to appropriate and withdraw from the current surplus the amount of \$5,000.00 for the same.
4. Upon application of ten (10) legal voters: to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 for Recreational and Educational purposes for the Elderly, and to authorize the withdrawal of this amount from the Federal Revenue Sharing Funds under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 and as amended in 1976.
5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as setoffs against budgeted appropriations for the following specific purposes and in the amounts indicated herewith; and further to authorize the Selectmen to make pro rata reductions in the amounts if estimated entitlements are reduced or take any other action hereon:

Appropriation	Amount
Town Hall - Heat and Light	3,500.00
Town Officer's Expenses	2,500.00
Street Lighting	2,200.00
Elderly Recreation and Education - Art 4	350.00
Newmarket Health Center	500.00
Election & Registration	1,500.00
Planning & Zoning	2,500.00

6. Upon application of ten (10) and more legal voters; to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 for the purpose of obtaining a new soils map of the Town.

(Not recommended by Budget Committee)

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,950.00 to cover the cost of the purchase of one (1) Police Cruiser @ \$8,000.00, the required Insurance @ \$500.00 and \$2,450.00 to cover the cost of added gasoline and repairs.
(Not recommended by Budget Committee)
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for use by the Road Agent to seal Town roads.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate and allocate the additional Highway Subsidy Funds which may become available under the provisions of RSA 241:15 as amended, for the year 1980, said funds believed to be in the amount of \$5,595.78 and to be used for the construction or reconstruction of Class IV and V Highways.
10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and withdraw from the current surplus the sum of \$7,300.00 to be used as a setoff against the payment of the Principal and Interest on the long term Fire Truck Note.
11. To hear the report of the Budget Committee and take such action as the Town deems necessary.
12. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to request an audit by the Municipal Services Division of the Department of Revenue Administration or employ a Certified Public Accountant to examine the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes and any other Officers or Agents handling funds of the Town at the close of each fiscal year. This action to become effective on the expiration of the term of the Auditor elected at the March 11, 1980 Town Meeting thus discontinuing the Annual practice of electing an Auditor as provided in RSA41:31 and this vote shall remain in full force and effect until changed by a vote of a subsequent Town Meeting.
14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the prepayment of Resident Taxes and authorize the Tax Collector to accept such prepayments in accordance with R: A 80:1-a.
15. To see if the Town will vote to recind the action taken at the Town Meeting of March 15, 1978 concerning Article - 15 of the warrant which authorized the sale of certain Town land to Walter E. Cook.
16. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Stoney-Brook Development Corporation, (Richard Beck, President) The Deed to the Town of Fremont for land covering approximately 1.2 Acres located adjacent to the Leavitt Cemetery described as follows: Beginning at a point at the Northwesterly corner of the present Cemetery and at the Northeasterly corner of the lot herein conveyed, thence traveling S10° 40' 35"W along said cemetery a distance of 267.92 feet to a point; thence turning and running N 85° 32' 29"W along Lot 6-11-1-6 as shown on recorded Plan D7526, a distance of 199.37 feet to a point; thence turning and running N 9° 41' 43" E along Lot 6-11-1-7 on said plan a distance of 253.16 feet to a point; thence turning and running S 89° 30' 30" E along Lot 6-11-1-7 a distance of 205.77 feet to the point of beginning.
17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by Tax Collectors Deeds at public auction.
18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of Taxes.
19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the Town Meeting, money from the State,

Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year in accordance with with procedures set forth in RSA 31:95-b.
20. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

NOTE: In accordance with RSA 39:2A adopted at the March Town Meeting of 1972 the first session of the Town Meeting for the Choice of Town Officers for the ensuing year will open on March 11, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and will remain open until 7:00 o'clock in the evening. The second session for the consideration of the remainder of the warrant articles will be held at the Fremont Town Hall on Wednesday March 12, 1980 at at 7:00 o'clock in the evening.

Given under our hands and seal this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Eighty.

George H. Baker, Jr.
Robert A. Waddell
Selectmen - Fremont, N.H.

Budget of the Town of Fremont

Purposes of Appropriations	Appropriation 1979	Recommended 1980	Not Recommended 1980
General Government			
Town Officer's Salaries	7,850.00	8,400.00	
Town Officer's Expenses	2,350.00	2,500.00	
Election & Registration Expenses	580.00	2,000.00	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	6,650.00	7,125.00	
Reappraisal of Property	15,000.00	750.00	
Town Report	1,690.00	1,650.00	
Protection of Persons and Property			
Police Department	9,800.00	11,950.00	2,450.00
Fire Department	16,835.00	20,500.00	
Care of Trees	500.00	--	
Planning & Zoning	200.00	2,700.00	
Damages by Dogs and Expenses	250.00	250.00	
Insurance	4,700.00	5,800.00	500.00
Civil Defense	200.00	200.00	
Conservation Commission	225.00	425.00	
Health Department			
Health Department - Ambulance	400.00	450.00	
Vital Statistics	50.00	50.00	
Town Dump	7,100.00	8,900.00	
Visiting Nurse Association	1,432.00	1,563.00	
Exeter Children & Youth	110.00	132.00	
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	250.00	250.00	
Newmarket Health Center	500.00	500.00	
Highways & Bridges			
Town Road Aid	391.26	387.01	
Street Lighting	2,200.00	2,250.00	
General Expenses of Highway	8,000.00	10,000.00	
Summer Highway Maintenance	5,800.00	9,500.00	
Highway Reconstruction RSA 241:15-Art.9	4,330.82	5,595.76	
Sealing Roads - Art. 8	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Winter Highway Maintenance	10,000.00	10,000.00	
Libraries	2,050.00	2,300.00	
Public Welfare			
Town Poor	2,500.00	3,000.00	
Old Age Assistance	6,200.00	6,200.00	
Patriotic Purposes			
Memorial Day	250.00	300.00	
Recreation			
Parks and Playgrounds	1,316.42	500.00	
Recreation for Elderly	--	350.00	
Public Service Enterprises			
Cemeteries	900.00	1,100.00	

Unclassified			
Damages and Legal Expenses	1,200.00	6,000.00	
Advertising & Regional Associations	750.00	1,000.00	
Southeastern Regional Planning Board	761.40	814.20	
Debt Service			
Principal - Long term notes and bonds	--	6,500.00	
Interest - Long term notes and bonds	--	800.00	
Interest on temporary loans	500.00	1,875.00	
Sandown Road Bridge Bond	--	112,700.00	
Capital Outlay			
Frink Snow Plow	2,400.00	--	
Public Safety Modifications to Town Hall	2,500.00	--	
Moving Old Library to present library site	3,000.00	--	
Dog Pound Facilities	150.00	--	
Class A Pumper Fire Truck	70,000.00	--	
Soils Map	--	--	5,500.00
Police Cruiser	--	--	8,000.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Fund			
Sandown Road Bridge Capital Reserve Fund	--	5,000.00	
Class A Pumper - Revenue Sharing	10,000.00	--	
Class A Pumper - Surplus	6,500.00	--	
Total Appropriations	223,371.90	267,266.97	16,450.00

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenues 1979	Actual Revenues 1979	Estimated Revenues 1980
From Local Taxes			
Resident Taxes	7,940.00	7,840.00	8,100.00
Yield Taxes	1,200.00	6,537.67	3,000.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	2,000.00	3,497.77	3,500.00
Resident Tax Penalties	50.00	42.00	50.00
From State			
Meals and Rooms Tax	10,000.00	11,223.62	10,500.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	7,000.00	8,019.11	8,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	2,000.00	2,742.10	2,500.00
Highway Subsidy	11,010.51	10,821.75	12,254.85
Railroad Tax	250.00	447.09	250.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	25,000.00	27,588.00	25,000.00
Dog Licenses	900.00	1,066.30	1,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Fees	750.00	738.00	750.00
Rent of Town Property	1,500.00	2,147.00	2,100.00
Interest Received on Deposits	4,000.00	3,395.92	3,500.00
Income from Departments	500.00	310.39	300.00
Surplus	10,316.42	10,316.42	12,300.00
Receipts other than Current Revenue:			
Proceeds of bonds and long term notes	13,000.00	13,000.00	112,700.00

Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	70,000.00	33,350.00	36,650.00
Revenue Sharing Fund	9,200.00	10,000.00	13,050.00
Total Revenues	176,616.93	153,083.14	255,504.85

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land - Improved and Unimproved	6,333,504.00
Buildings	14,134,631.00
Factory Buildings	383,520.00
Public Utilities	520,000.00
House Trailers, Mobile Homes, Travel Trailers assessed as Personal Property	34,480.00
Total Valuation before Exemptions	21,406,135.00
Exemptions Allowed	170,000.00
Net Valuation for Tax Rate	21,236,135.00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS
AND TAXES ASSESSED

Net Town Appropriations	45,956.00
Net School Appropriations	416,806.00
County Tax Assessment	18,436.00
TOTAL TOWN, SCHOOL AND COUNTY	481,198.00
<i>Deduct</i> - Reimbursement a/c Business Profit Tax	35,653.00
<i>Add</i> - War Service Tax Credits	7,800.00
<i>Add</i> -Overlay	15,973.58
PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	469,318.58
TAX RATE: - 469,318.58 ÷ 21,236.135 = \$22.10 per \$1000 Valuation	
School — 18.30	County — 0.80
	Town — 3.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1979

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Available	Expenditures	Balance	Overdrafts
Officer's Salary	7850.00	-0-	7850.00	8286.65	--	436.65
Officer's Expenses	2350.00	303.00	2653.00	2903.79	--	250.79
Election and Registration	580.00	-0-	580.00	471.28	108.72	--
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	6650.00	-0-	6650.00	4374.98	2275.02	--
Town Report	1690.00	-0-	1690.00	1700.00	--	10.00
Police Dept.	9800.00	-0-	9800.00	9624.41	175.59	--
Fire Dept.	16835.00	436.51	17271.51	17252.55	18.96	--
Insurance	4700.00	-0-	4700.00	3684.75	1015.25	--
Conservation Comm.	225.00	-0-	225.00	225.00	--	--
Care of Trees	500.00	-0-	500.00	--	500.00	--
Planning & Zoning	200.00	143.13	343.13	241.85	101.28	--
Damages & Legal	1200.00	-0-	1200.00	808.55	391.45	--
Civil Defense	200.00	-0-	200.00	124.39	75.61	--
Ambulance	400.00	-0-	400.00	400.00	--	--
Vital Statistics	50.00	-0-	50.00	28.25	21.75	--
Dog Officer & Expenses	250.00	-0-	250.00	107.54	142.46	--
Town Dump	7100.00	-0-	7100.00	7293.50	--	193.50
Highway Main. Summer Main.	5800.00	-0-	5800.00	8265.88	--	2465.88
Reconstruction	4132.35	-0-	4132.35	4291.50	--	159.15
Sealing Roads	5000.00	-0-	5000.00	3037.12	1962.88	--
Winter Main.	10000.00	-0-	10000.00	8798.05	1201.95	--
General Expense	8000.00	-0-	8000.00	8653.44	--	653.44

Town Road Aid	391.26	-0-	391.26	391.26	--	--
Street Lighting	2200.00	-0-	2200.00	2111.63	88.37	--
Library	2050.00	-0-	2050.00	2001.65	48.35	--
Town Poor	2500.00	-0-	2500.00	89.27	2410.73	--
Old Age Assistance	6200.00	-0-	6200.00	4062.31	2137.69	--
Visiting Nurse	1432.00	-0-	1432.00	1432.90	--	0.90
Memorial Day	250.00	-0-	250.00	263.30	--	13.30
Recreation - Little League	1316.42	-0-	1316.42	1316.42	--	--
Exeter Children & Youth	110.00	-0-	110.00	110.00	--	--
Seacoast Reg. Counseling	250.00	-0-	250.00	250.00	--	--
Newmarket Health Center	500.00	-0-	500.00	500.00	--	--
Cemeteries	900.00	-0-	895.99	4.01	--	--
Advertising & Reg. Assoc.	750.00	-0-	750.00	847.00	--	97.00
S.E. Reg. Planning Comm.	761.40	-0-	761.40	761.40	--	--
Interest on Temp. Loans	500.00	-0-	500.00	1371.04	--	871.04
CAPITAL OUTLAY						
Frink Snow Plow	2400.00	-0-	2400.00	2435.00	--	35.00
Town Hall Modifications	2500.00	-0-	2500.00	2222.00	278.00	--
Moving Old Library	3000.00	-0-	3000.00	--	3000.00	--
Class A Pumper Fire Truck	70000.00	-0-	70000.00	33350.00	36650.00	--
Reappraisal of Property	15000.00	500.00	15500.00	15510.50	--	10.50
Dog Pound Facilities	150.00	150.00	300.00	103.29	196.71	--
Payment to Cap. Reserve	16500.00	-0-	16500.00	16500.00	--	--
TOTAL			224706.07	177098.44	52804.78	5197.15
NET BALANCE OF APPROPRIATIONS			47607.63			

Balance Sheet

Assets

CASH

In Hands of Treasurer — January 1, 1980 295,098.84

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

Class A Pumper Fire Truck 24,618.55

UNREDEEMED TAXES

Levy of 1978 8,512.46

Levy of 1977 2,782.47 11,294.93

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

Levy of 1979 - Including Resident, Yield and

Personal Property Taxes 50,778.93

TOTAL ASSETS 381,791.25

Liabilities

ACCOUNTS OWED BY TOWN

Lillian Frost Bequest, Article 10 - 1977 Warrant 34.00

Sealing Roads, Article 9 - 1979 Warrant 1,962.88

Town Hall Safety Mod., Article 5 - 1979 Warrant 278.00

Town Hall Painting, Article 4 - 1979 Warrant 2,500.00

Moving Old Library, Article 6 - 1979 Warrant 3,000.00

TOTAL 7,774.88

Unexpended Balance - Class A Pumper Fire Truck Note . 13,000.00

Unexpended Balance Revenue Sharing Account 7,221.23

Yield Tax Deposits 25.00

Balance 1979 - 80 School District Appropriation 296,806.36

Capital Reserve Fund - Class A Pumper Fire Truck 24,618.55

Conservation Commission Account 1,156.76

TOTAL LIABILITIES 350,602.78

CURRENT SURPLUS, December 31, 1979 31,188.47

SURPLUS, December 31, 1978 21,747.96

Increase in Surplus 1979 9,440.51

Schedule of Town Property

As of December 31, 1979

1. Town Hall, Land and Buildings	77,690.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
2. Libraries, Land and Buildings	27,050.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00
3. Police Department, Land and Buildings	-0-
Equipment	4,500.00
4. Fire Department, Land and Buildings	73,430.00
Equipment	40,000.00
5. Highway Department, Land and Buildings	3,500.00
Equipment	8,000.00
Materials and Supplies	1,000.00
6. Parks, Commons, Playgrounds and Cemeteries	17,220.00
7. Schools, Lands and Buildings	834,500.00
Equipment	45,000.00
8. Land and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector Deeds	
Pettengill Land - (&2-50)	6,200.00
Hastings Land - (7-115)	6,000.00
Kelly Land - (2-38)	1,500.00
Jones Land - (7-75)	6,000.00
9. All Other Property and Equipment	
Old Meeting House, Land and Buildings	42,390.00
First Aid Station Building	1,500.00
Town Dump Land	1,720.00
TOTAL	1,204,700.00

Town Clerk's Report

Auto Permits	\$27,588.00
Dogs	1,185.80
Dog Fines	75.00
Filing Fees	5.00
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	\$28,853.80
Less Fees Retained on Dogs	119.50
GRAND TOTAL	<hr/>
	\$28,734.30

Vital Statistics

21 Births
21 Deaths
8 Marriages

Elizabeth J. Stanley
Town Clerk, Fremont, New Hampshire

Minutes of the Town Meeting, March 13, 1979

The first session of the legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Fremont in the County of Rockingham in the said State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, met at the Town Hall in said Fremont on Tuesday, the 13th of March 1979 at 10:00 O'Clock in the forenoon to transact the following business.

Moderator Stuart Langton called the Polls open at 10:00 O'clock in the forenoon and Mr. George Baker, School District Moderator read the School Warrant.

Mr. Stuart Langton, Town Moderator, then Read the Town Warrant.

The Polls closed at 7:00 O'Clock in the evening, absentee ballots were opened and deposited in the ballot box at this time.

The Ballots were then counted with the following results announced:

Town Clerk	Elizabeth J. Stanley . . .	356 votes
Deputy Town Clerk	Mary A. Anderson . . .	334 votes
Selectman for Three Years	Robert A. Waddell . . .	281 votes
Treasurer	Ruth M. Doucette . . .	338 votes
Tax Collector	Mary A. Anderson . . .	319 votes
Road Agent	Leon F. Holmes, Sr. . .	352 votes
Auditor	Herman Ostendorf . . .	330 votes
Chief of Police	Richard P. Johnson . . .	237 votes
Trustee of Trust Funds		
For Two Years	Thomas R. Hull	316 votes
Trustee of Trust Funds		
For Three Years	George H. Bassett . . .	326 votes
Trustee of Library		
For One Year	John L. Gieroch	312 votes
Trustee of Library		
For Three Years	Orris F. Johnson	318 votes
Supervisor of Check-List		
For One Year	Barbara D. Baker . . .	331 votes

QUESTION

1. ARTICLE IV-Section 2

Delete reference to Lake, Ponds, Rivers and Shoreline so that the Article will read as follows with the omission of the words and phrases enclosed in brackets:

"Every building lot shall have a minimum lot frontage on Federal, State and Town Highways, (Lakes, Ponds and Rivers) of 150 feet provided that where lots are located on exterior side of a curving street (or shoreline) a shorter front dimension shall be permitted, provided that the average width of the lot measured across its center shall be 150 feet, etc. . ."

YES 198

NO 81

Question Passed

2. ARTICLE V-Section 11

Add the phrase "single or" so that the amended Section will read as follows:

"All existing structures if converted into single or multiple family dwelling units shall meet all requirements specified in the current zoning ordinances."

YES 225

NO 64

QUESTION PASSED

The Fremont School District Results then given as follows:

Moderator George Baker 71 votes

Clerk Barbara D. Baker 332 votes

School Board Member

For Three Years Maureen L. Buhrman 265 votes

Treasurer Elizabeth J. Stanley . . . 354 votes

Auditor Herman Ostendorf . . . 58 votes

Elected Officials present were sworn in at this time.

Not present Ruth Doucette, Herman Ostendorf, Orris Johnson and John L. Gieroch.

Elizabeth J. Stanley

Town Clerk, Fremont, New Hampshire

Article 1: Voted on by ballot on March 13, 1979

Article 2: The motion was made and seconded that we consider article after article 21.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 3: The motion was made and seconded that we consider this article after 21 but before 2.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 4: The motion was made and seconded that we accept this article as read.

The following amendment was made, and seconded.

Amendment: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate . . .

amendment passed by voice vote.

Original article with amendment passed by voice vote.

Article 5: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Mr. Waddell offered an explanation.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 6: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Mr. Waddell explained that this land is owned by Stevenson heirs. Mrs. Ragonese refuted this. She believes this is True land and not Stevenson.

Further discussion on the ownership of land.

Mr. Baker called for the question.

Seconded by voice vote.

Original article passed by voice vote.

Article 7: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Amendment - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate . . . seconded.

Mr. Stanley and the Selectmen offered an explanation of this.

amendment passed by voice vote.

The question was called. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Original article with amendment - Pass by voice vote.

Article 8: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Mr. Leon Holmes, Road Agent, offered an explanation.

Call for question - Seconded - Passed by voice vote.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 9: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Mr. Holmes, Road Agent, offered an explanation.

The question was called. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Original article passed by voice vote.

Article 10: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Mr. Waddell Explained.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 11: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

The Selectmen offered an explanation. *Passed by voice vote.*

Mr. Waddell explained Articles 12 - 18

Article 12: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 13: The motion was made and seconded to be accepted as read.

The fire truck situation was further explained by Mr. Richard Heselton, Fire Chief.

Passed unanimously by voice vote.

Article 14: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Discussion. The question was called. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Passed unanimously by voice vote.

Article 15: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Amendment - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate . .
Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Original with amendment - Passed by voice vote unanimously.

Article 16: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Discussion followed.

Passed unnnanimately by voice vote.

Article 17: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Discussion. The motion was made and seconded to table article 17 indefinitely.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 18: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Discussion.

Passed unanimously by voice vote.

Article 19: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read. Discussion. The question was called. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Original article passed by voice vote.

Article 20: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read. No discussion.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 21: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read. Mr. Waddell explained. The question was called. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

The article was defeated by voice vote.

Article 3: The motion was made and seconded to accepted the report of the Budget Committee.

Passed by Voice Vote.

Article 2: The motion was made and seconded that the town raise & appropriate \$223,371.90 to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 22: The motion was made and seconded to accept as read.

Motion was made to suspend the rules and not read this article again. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Original article passed by voice vote.

Article 23: The motion was made and seconded to accept this article as read. Mr. Waddell explained.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 24: A motion was made and seconded to bring this article for discussion only. Amendment - made and seconded to change Lot 4-1 to Lot 6-52.

Passed by voice vote.

Amendment - (added to the end) If this article is approved, it will be contingent only upon the approval of a sub-division. Made and seconded. (Mr. Ragonese made)

Modify amendment to read: IF this article is approved, it will be contingent only upon the approval of a sub-division of the SBS Inc. Mr. Ragonese modified and this was seconded. Moved for the question. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Vote on amendment

Passed by voice vote.

Discussion. Call for question. Seconded.

Passed by voice vote.

Original article and amendment(s). Show of hands.
19 Yes. 48 No. 9 Abstain.

This article was defeated

Article 25: The motion was made and seconded that this article be committed to Selectmen. Discussion.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 26: The motion was made and seconded to accept this article as read. The motion was made and seconded to suspend the rules so as not to reread the article.

Passed by voice vote.

Original article passed by voice vote.

Article 27: The motion was made and seconded to accept the article as read. *Passed by voice vote.*

Article 28: The motion was made and seconded to accept the article as read.

Passed by voice vote.

Article 29: The motion was made and seconded to accept the article as read.

Passed by voice vote.

Mr. Theron Young made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Mr. Balestra seconded the motion.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

Elizabeth J. Stanley

Town Clerk, Fremont, New Hampshire

Reference

1979 Town Meeting Articles

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To hear the report of the Budget Committee and take such action as the Town deems necessary.
4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and withdraw from the current surplus the sum of \$2,500.00 to be used to paint the walls and ceilings of the Town Office Areas, Entrance Hall and the lower meeting hall of the Fremont Town Hall. These funds to be used as an offset against the Town Hall and Other Buildings Budget.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to make the required modifications on the Fremont Town Hall as required by the State Fire Marshalls Office to meet fire safety regulations.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 to move the Old Library Building (First Aid Station) from its present location to a new location at the site of the present Library and provide the required foundation and connecting roof and wall modifications.
7. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and withdraw from the current surplus the amount of \$1,316.42, the funds realized from the sale of lumber cut from the Little League Field Town Land Area

during the year 1978. These funds to be used to grade and provide an area for laying out and providing a playing field for use by the Pony League. These funds to be used as an offset against the Recreation Budget.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,400.00 for the purchase of one Frink Snow Plow.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for use by the Town Road Agent to seal Town Roads.
10. To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate and allocate the additional Highway Subsidy Funds which may become available under the provisions of RSA 241:15 as amended, for the year 1979, said funds believed to be in the amount of \$4,330.82 and to be used for the construction or reconstruction of Class IV and Class V highways.
11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for the complete re-valuation of all property in the Town in accordance with the Order issued by the State Board of Taxation on April 28, 1978, in accordance with RSA 75:1 to become effective as of April 1, 1979.
12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to be deposited in the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976 and authorize the withdrawal of this sum for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.
13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the balance of the principle and accrued interest to the date of withdrawal, of the Town Building Capital Reserve Fund established by Act of the Town Meeting held on March 13, 1962 to the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976. *(2/3 Vote required for passage)*
14. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the Principle and accrued interest to the date of withdrawal, of the Capital Reserve Fund for the Town Dump established by Act of the Town Meeting of March 10, 1970 to the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976. Further to transfer the principle and accrued interest to the date of withdrawal, of the Waste Disposal Funds deposited in the Town Dump Capital Reserve Fund voted at the Town Meetings of 1971, 1972 and 1973 to the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976. *(2/3 Vote required for passage)*
15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and withdraw from the current surplus the sum of \$6,500.00 to be deposited in the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976.
16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$70,000.00 for the purchase of a Class A Pumper Fire Truck and to authorize the withdrawal from the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976, the principle and accrued interest to the date of withdrawal and to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee to negotiate the purchase of this equipment. This committee to consist of the Board of Selectmen, three Officers

- of the Fremont Fire Department and three Members at Large from the Town.
17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000.00 to cover the balance required for the purchase of the Class A Pumper Fire Truck. (*Majority Vote Required*)
 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000.00 to cover the balance required for the purchase of the Class A Pumper Fire Truck and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and sell Notes or Bonds for all or any portion of the sum appropriated in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Budget Act. (*2/3 Vote required for passage*)
 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$761.40 to cover the cost of 1979 Dues in the Southeastern New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission.
 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 to complete the Animal Shelter Facilities required by Chapter 580 enacted by the General Court in 1977.
 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,200.00 for Mosquito control by the Rockingham County Mosquito Control Project in the Town of Fremont during the year 1979.
 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Paul D. and Bonnie L. Danforth the Deed to the Town of Fremont covering approximately 0.4 Acres of land located adjacent to the Fremont Village Cemetery described as follows: Beginning at a point at the Southeasterly corner of the described premises and at the Northwesterly corner of the land now or formerly of Marquis and thence running South 51° 41' West 236.3 feet to a point at the brook, thence turning and running Northwesterly along the brook to a point at the Southwesterly corner of other land of the Town of Fremont, being known as the Fremont Village Cemetery; thence turning and running North 64° 32' East along said cemetery land 228.14 feet to a point; thence turning and running South 19° 22' East 47.4 feet to the point of beginning; containing 0.4 Acres, more or less.
 23. To see if the Town will vote to take deeded title to the paved section of a certain street named Louise Lane located in Poplin Acres Development from Charles K. and Louise M. Rowe, the present owners. The requested road to be accepted is approximately 1,300 feet in length and runs Easterly from Rowe Drive to the Ridge Road.
 24. Upon application of fifteen (15) legal voters, to see if the Town will vote to rescind and cancel the vote taken at the Annual Town Meeting in March of 1943 pursuant to Article 5 of the Warrant for said meeting whereby a part of the Ridge Road, so called, was closed subject to Gates and Bars, said rescission and cancellation only to extend to the portion of Ridge Road beginning at the house located on the Steele property (Lot 4-1 on Tax Map) and running to the Southerly boundary of SBS, Inc. property (Lot 4-8 on Tax Map), so that such portion of the Ridge Road shall hereafter be an open

highway. This section of road will be re-established by SBS, Inc. at their expense to the standard of the present Ridge Road to which it becomes an extension as approved by the Town Road Agent. The reconstruction of this section of road need not be completed prior to sub-division approval.

25. Upon application of ten (10) legal voters; to see if the Town will vote to change the name of Old Ridge Road to Cross Road, said road extending between North Road and Ridge Road.

26. To see if the Town will vote to grant to Michael and H. Nadine Homola a right and easement to travel by foot or by vehicle from Main Street over the Town Hall property in the area of the driveway and parking lot to obtain entrance to their existing garage, subject to the right of the Town to temporarily block said easement area from time to time with motor vehicles parked there and to authorize the Selectmen to execute such a right and easement on behalf of the Town.

27. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by Tax Collector's Deed at public auction.

28. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of Taxes.

29. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from Federal, State and County Governments, including but not limited to programs such as Manpower, CETA, etc., in such sum or sums as may become available.

30. To see what action the Town will take by ballot on the following question: Are you in favor of the adoption of the following changes and amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Fremont Planning Board.

1. Article IV — Section 2

Delete reference to Lakes, Ponds, Rivers and Shoreline so that the Article will read as follows with the omission of the words and phrases enclosed in brackets:

"Every building lot shall have a minimum lot frontage on Federal, State and Town Highways, (Lakes, Ponds, and Rivers) of 150 feet provided that where lots are located on exterior side of a curving street (or shoreline) a shorter front dimension shall be permitted, provided that the average width of the lot measured across its center shall be 150 feet etc."

2. Article V — Section 11

Add the phrase "single or" so that the amended Section will read as follows:

"All existing structures if converted into single or multiple family dwelling units shall meet all requirements specified in the current zoning ordinances".

31. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Tax Collector's Report
(For Current Year's Levy)
SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
Property, Resident and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1979

- DR. -

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$462,109.50	
Resident Taxes	8,230.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	00.00	
Land Use Change Taxes	00.00	
Total Warrants		\$470,339.50

Yield Taxes 7,858.02

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	00.00	
Resident Taxes	00.00	
		00.00

Overpayments During Year:

a/c Property Taxes	27.46	
a/c Resident Taxes	00.00	
Advertising & Bounced Checks	45.98	
		73.35

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes 82.13

Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes 15.00

Total Debits \$478,368.00

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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$410,270.20	
Resident Taxes	7,570.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	00.00	
Yield Taxes	5,956.60	
Land Use Change Taxes	000.00	
Interest Collected	82.13	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	15.00	
Advertising & Bounced Check Fees ...	45.89	
Overpayments	27.46	
		\$423,967.28

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	3,521.79	
Resident Taxes	100.00	
Yield Taxes	-0-	
		3,621.79

Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1979:

(As Per Collectors List)

Property Taxes & Personal Property ..	48,317.51	
Resident Taxes	560.00	
Yield Taxes	1,901.42	
		50,778.93
		<u>\$ 478,368.00</u>

Summary of Warrants
Property, Resident and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1978

- DR. -

Uncollected Taxes - As of January 1, 1979:

Property Taxes & Pers. Property	\$36,183.07
Resident Taxes	290.00
Land Use Change Taxes	000.00
Yield Taxes	<u>581.07</u>

\$37,054.14

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	00.00
Resident Taxes	<u>70.00</u>

70.00

Overpayments:

a/c Property Taxes	00.00
a/c Resident Taxes	00.00
Advertising & Bounced Check Fees ...	563.80

563.80

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes	452.23
Interest Collected on Delinquent Yield taxes	7.31
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	27.00

Total Debits	<u><u>\$38,174.48</u></u>
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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1979:

Property Taxes	36,142.17
Resident Taxes	270.00
Yield Taxes	581.07
Land Use Change Taxes	00.00
Interest Collected During Year	459.54
Penalties on Resident Taxes	27.00
Advertising & Bounced Check Fees ...	<u>563.80</u>

38,042.58

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	41.90
Resident Taxes	90.00
Yield Taxes	<u>-0-</u>

131.90

Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1979:

(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	00.00
Resident Taxes	<u>00.00</u>

\$38,174.48

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1979

- DR. -

	----Tax Sales on Account of Levies of: ----			
	1978	1977	1976	Previous Years
(a)Balance of Unredeemed				
Taxes-January 1, 1979	00.00	\$10,099.47	\$ 70.21	\$
(b)Taxes Sold to Twon During				
Current Fiscal Year	31,592.73	00.00	00.00	
Interest Collected After Sale .	1,111.99	1,450.25	76.81	
Redemption Costs	224.75	92.30		
Total Debits	\$32,929.47	\$11,642.02	147.02	\$

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Remittances to Treasurer During Year:

Redemptions	\$22,998.75	\$ 7,221.07	\$ 70.21	\$
Interest & Costs				
After Sale	1,336.74	1,542.55	76.81	
Abatements During Year	81.52	95.93	00.00	
Deeded to Town During Year	00.00	00.00	00.00	
Unredeemed Taxes -				
December 31, 1979 ..	8,512.46	2,782.47		
Total Credits	\$32,929.47	\$11,642.02	\$147.02	\$

(a) "Balance of Unredeemed Taxes - January 1, 1979:"

Should include balances of Unredeemed Taxes, as of beginning of fiscal year - January 1, 1979 from Tax Sales of Previous Years.

(b) "Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year:"

Tax Sales held during fiscal year ending December 31, 1979, should include total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale.

NOTE: Total Debits and Total Credits should agree.

Uncollected Taxes -- December 31, 1979

Property Taxes

Austin, Meredith C & Sharon L.	\$ 872.29
Beaudet, Henry G.	183.36
Belanger, Daniel T. & Louise L.	2,424.37
Blueberry Hill Associates	3,266.38
Bolduc, Leo J. & Betty L.	405.26
Boston & Maine Railroad	212.16
Burley, Harry B. Heirs	13.26
Carrigan, George W. & Wendy D.	675.60
Caruso, Albert F. & Mary E.	106.08
Castonguay, Patrick E. (Gibbs, Robert A.)	123.75
Castor, Leonard F. (& Dorothy M.	85.75

Chase, Peter A. & Frances B.	958.64
Clay, Irene	413.44
Collins, Arlo E. & Janet B.	950.91
Costa, Joseph F. Jr.	443.12
Currier, John B.	309.40
Demos, Charles A.	818.14
Desrocher, William J.	654.60
Dinsmore, Eunice L.	446.42
Dischino, Angelo C & Susan M.	788.31
Eaton, Samuel L. & Charlotte C. (Batchelder, Barbara A.)	659.02
Edgerly, Eleanor E.	270.95
Emery, Leslie R. & Eleanor S.	377.03
Fitiles, Stephen J.	782.34
Garner, Joseph W. & Katherine R.	794.72
Gaskill, Gordon A. & Stetson, Douglas B.	893.07
Gregory, Frank S. III & Carole M.	1,029.42
Hartford, Reginald	274.04
Henson, Albert J. & Jeannette B.	159.20
Hodsdon, Lee H. & Carol A.	117.13
Johnstone, Eugene T. & Eleanor J.	910.74
Kiersey, Donald K. & Raymonde L.	519.13
Kiersey, Donald K. & Raymonde L.	1,489.54
Kulakowski, Edward & Hunter, George	63.65
LeBlanc, William J. & Eleanor J.	106.08
Lee, Robert E. & Helen L.	243.05
LeTourneau, Martin D. & Sheryl D.	749.85
Lewis Builders, Inc.	371.28
Lufkin, George A. & Barbara	77.35
McCullough, Gordon & Eleanor J.	814.11
McKay, Daniel & Sandra	1,432.90
McKay, Daniel	152.05
Martel, Alfred W. & Nancy J.	543.83
Morgan, Robert D.	411.06
Murphy, Douglas W. & Mary E.	878.92
Nelson, John & Jeanne E.	846.43
Nichols, Robert S. & Sharon R.	1,270.09
Philbrick, Russell E. & Karen L.	2,073.63
Philbrick, Russell E. & Karen L.	1,612.58
Philbrick, Russell E. & Karen L.	1,414.40
Pineo, Kendall R. & Lillian A.	400.00
Placido, Winifred M.	340.78
Porter, Richard R. & Janet L.	940.36
Ranfoss, Robert J. & Pamela	110.50
Ross, Robert A.	92.82
SBS, Inc.	99.67
Schou, John H. Heirs	2.21
Sequin, Steven B. & Kathie M.	137.02

Shannon, Frank	255.92
Shaw, Richard W. & Marlene F.	870.08
Simpson, Ernest L. & Syvinski, Diane	94.45
Smith, Norton & Gwendolyn	520.23
Soc. for the Protection of NH Forests	551.62
Spinnato, Richard R. & Marie A. (Brown, Francis, & Maria Ann)	923.12
Stackpole, Robert F. & Ann W.	717.90
Stevens, Esther	552.50
Tatone, Mildred A. (Pine, Jack & Veronica)	2,012.87
Tedeschi, Gerald W. & Mary A.	876.87
Toole, Curtis J. & Sabrina	265.00
Turner, Bruce R. & Penny L.	739.80
Turner, Stephen J.	771.07
Valley, Nettie E.	234.04
Window-Rock, Inc.	64.53
Wright, Bruce C. & Catherine A.	839.80
Zappala, Daniel M.	351.83
Total Unpaid Taxes, December 31, 1979	\$48,244.82

Resident Taxes

Balukas, Richard	10.00	LeTourneau, Sheryl	10.00
Bassett, Constance	10.00	Maynard, Diane	10.00
Bowker, George C. III	1.00**	McKeen, Robert	10.00
Brusso, Elsie	10.00	Nelson, John	10.00
Brusso, Jean	10.00	Nichols, Robert	10.00
Burleigh, Kenneth	10.00	Nichols, Sharon	10.00
Burleigh, Jeffrey	10.00	Peters, Arthur	10.00
Castonguay, Wayne E.	10.00	Pickard, John	10.00
Chase, Peter	10.00	Reed, Melvin	10.00
Collins, Melvin	10.00	Sears, Susan	10.00
Dischino, Angelo	10.00	Small, Harold	10.00
Dischino, Susan M.	10.00	Small, Anna	10.00
Ebert, Jill	10.00	Small, Stephen	10.00
Fortier, Joseph Sr.	10.00	St. Clair, Sandra L.	10.00
Garner, Joseph	10.00	Stevenson, Ellen	10.00
Garner, Katherine	10.00	Stevenson, John	10.00
Guangua, Joan	10.00	Swett, Franklin	10.00
Hammond, Jo A.	10.00	Syvinski, Dianna	10.00
Hartford, Reginald	10.00	Thurlow, Lester	10.00
Kincaid, Jean	10.00	Turner, Bruce	10.00
Lafayette, Geoffrey	1.00**	Turner, Penny	10.00
LeBlanc, William Sr.	10.00	Valley, Winfred	10.00
LeBlanc, Eleanor	10.00	Valley, Nancy	10.00
Lee, Robert	10.00	Vigneault, Steven	10.00
Lee, Helen	10.00	Warburton, Edward	10.00
Linehan, Nancy	10.00	Ward, Andrew	10.00
LeTourneau, Martin	10.00		

Ward, Melanie	10.00	Winslade, Mark	10.00
Warnock, Stephen	10.00	Woodman, Mark	10.00
Wike, Donna	10.00		

Ttoal Unpaid Resident Taxes\$560.00

****Total Unpaid Penalties - Resident Tax** 2.00

Yield Taxes

New Hampshire Pulp \$1,746.26

Bolduc, Jesse 155.16

Total Uncollected Yield Taxes, December 31, 79 \$1,901.42

Personal Property Taxes

Doly, William H. Jr. \$15.69

Johnson, Charles 32.70

Hunt, Daniel 24.30

Total Uncollected Personal Property Taxes

December 31, 1979 \$72.69

"I herby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1979 on account of the tax levey of 1979, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Mary A. Anderson

Tax Collector

Unredeemed Taxes from Sales

1978

1977

Austin, Meredith C. & Sharon L. \$ 882.85

Chase, Peter A. & Frances B. 728.94

Currier, John B. 287.62 280.31

Demos, Charles 155.49**

Edgerly, Eleanor E. 448.98

Emery, Leslie & Eleanor 482.97 508.96

Fitiles, Stephen J. 11.14

Ford, John R. Jr. & Jari L.

(Wright, Bruce C. & Catherine A.) 811.22

Garner, Joseph W. & Katherine R. 558.94

Gregory, Frank S. III & Carole M. 1,002.27 1,140.29

LaCentra, Robert

(Philbrick, Russell E. & Karen L.) 1,467.48

LeBlanc, William & Eleanor 79.95

Lee, Robert E. & Helen L. 529.64

Linke, Herman L. & Ruth R.

(LeTourneau, Martin D. & Sheryl D.) ... 9.63**

Morgan, Robert E. 44.74

Nelson, John & Jeanne E. 461.89

Ranfios, Robert J. & Pamela E. 47.28 41.69

Schou, John H. Heirs 23.52

Smith, Norton & Gwendolyn 470.91

Tippo, Arthur 1.09**

Turner, Steven J.	13.14**	
Valley, Nettie	252.77	
Wright, Bruce C. & Catherine A.	730.57	
Total Unredeemed	\$8,512.46	\$2,782.47
**Total unredeemed A&C Interest & Costs	179.35	

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1979, on account of Unredeemed Taxes from the levies of 1977 and 1978, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Mary A. Anderson
Tax Collector

Report of the Treasurer

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand in Checking Account

January 1, 1979	115,320.47	
Received from all sources	823,701.52	
Total		939,021.99

PAYMENTS

Checking Account Balance

December 31, 1979	172,898.28
Payments made by Selectmen	766,123.71
Total	939,021.99

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on Hand December 31, 1979

Checking Account	172,898.28
Savings Account	50,209.59
Savings Account C.D.'s	50,000.00
Fire Truck C.D. -Dure 3/14/80	13,612.98
Revenue Sharing Account	7221.23
Conservation Commission Account ...	1,156.76
Total	295,098.84

Capital Reserve Fund -

Class A Pumper Fire Truck	24,618.55
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Unredeemed Taxes

Levy of 1978	8,512.46	
Levy of 1977	2,782.47	
Total		11,294.93

Uncollected Taxes

Levy of 1979, including Resident, Yield and personal property taxes	50,778.93
Total Assets	381,791.25

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town

Unexpended Balance of Special

Appropriations

Lillian Frost Bequest, Article 10-1977 Warrant	34.00
Sealing Roads, Article 9-1979 Warrant	1,962.88
Town Hall Safety Mod., Article 5 - 1979 Warrant	278.00
Town Hall Painting, Article 4- 1979 Warrant	2,500.00
Moving Old Library, Article 6- 1979 Warrant	3,000.00
	7,774.88

Unexpended Balance - Class A Pumper

Fire Truck Note	13,000.00
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Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds	7,221.23
Yield Tax Deposits	25.00
Balance 1979 - 80 School District	
Appropriation	296,806.36
Capital Reserve Fund - Class A Pumper Fire	
Truck	24,618.55
Conservation Commission Account	1,156.76
Total Liabilities	350,602.78
Current Surplus, December 31, 1979	31,188.47
Surplus, December 31, 1978	21,747.96
Increase in Surplus, 1979	9,440.51

Ruth M. Doucette
Treasurer

Detailed Statement of Receipts

CURRENT REVENUE

From Local Taxes

Property Taxes - 1979	410,270.20
Resident Taxes - 1979	7,570.00
Yield Taxes - 1979	5,956.60
Interest on Property Taxes - Current Year	82.13
Resident Tax Penalties - Current Year	15.00
Property Taxes - Previous Years	36,141.17
Resident Taxes - Previous Years	270.00
Yield Taxes - Previous Years	581.07
Interest and Costs - Previous Years	3,415.64
Resident Tax Penalties - Previous Years	27.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	30,290.03
Total	494,618.84

From State

Highway Subsidy RSA 214:14 - 6,689.40	
RSA 241:15 - 4,132.35	10,821.75
Interest and Dividends Tax	8,019.11
Savings Bank Tax	2,742.10
Forest Fire Reimbursements	436.51
Meals and Rooms Tax	11,223.62
Reimbursement a/c Business Profits Tax	35,652.64
1979 Railroad Tax	447.09
Total	69,342.82

From Local Sources, except Taxes

Dog Licenses	1,066.30
Fines	75.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	738.00
Rent of Town Property	2,147.00
Interest received on deposits	3,395.92
Income from Departments	1,229.06
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees - 1979	27,588.00
Withdrawn from Capital Reserve Funds - Fire Truck	33,350.00

Received from payment of property tax liens	2,126.93
TOTAL	71,716.21
Receipts other than current revenues	
Proceeds from Tax Anticipation Notes	50,000.00
Proceeds from Long Term Notes	13,000.00
Withdrawals from Revenue Sharing Account	10,000.00
Withdrawals from Savings Account	50,000.00
Withdrawal of Certificate of Deposits	50,000.00
Sale of Town Property	818.50
Yield Tax Deposit	25.00
Mutual Aid Refund - Raymond, N.H.	243.13
Refund-Public Service Company of New Hampshire	3.02
Total	174,089.65
Grants from U.S.A.	
Revenue Sharing	13,934.00
TOTAL REVENUES	823,701.52
Cash on Hand (Checking) 1/1/79	115,320.47
Grand Total	939,021.99

Detailed Statement of Payments

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officer's Salaries

Charles M. Healey, Chairman Board of		
Selectmen	950.00	
Overseer of Poor	150.00	
Superintendent of Cemetery	100.00	1,200.00
George H. Baker, Jr., Selectman		750.00
Robert A. Waddell, Selectman	750.00	
Clerical	278.40	1,028.40
Mary A. Anderson, Tax Collector	1,100.00	
1978 Resident Tax Fees	13.50	
1979 Resident Tax Fees	378.50	
1978 Tax Sale Collectors Fees	140.00	
1979 Tax Sale Collectors Fees	245.00	1,877.00
Elizabeth J. Stanley, Town Clerk	300.00	
M.V. Registration Fees	1,328.00	
Selectmen's Bookkeeping	210.25	
Selectmen's Search of Tax Titles	318.00	2,156.25
Ruth M. Doucette, Town Treasurer		400.00
Herman Ostendorf, Town Auditor		350.00
Philip A. Davis, Chairman Trustee of		
Trust Funds		200.00
Kenneth Shute, Building Inspector	250.00	
Health Officer	75.00	325.00
Total		8,286.65

Town Officer's Expenses

Office Supplies		662.84	
Tax Collector's Supplies		239.79	
Special Police Duty - Tax Collector		70.00	
Postage		383.67	
Handbooks and Manuals		35.50	
Deeds of property and microfilms		146.30	
Reproductions		163.15	
Tax Map Reproductions		161.25	
Office Machines		199.04	
Recording Deeds and Liens		419.00	
Officer's Mileage	Selectmen	36.90	
	Treasurer	134.25	
	Tax Collector	157.25	328.40
Dog Licenses and Tage			73.18
Community Calendar			12.00
Retrieval of Old Town Clerks Records			9.67
Total			2,903.79

Election and Registration Expense

Supervisors of Checklist		120.03	
Election Inspectors		80.00	
Town Clerk and Deputy Town Clerk		50.00	
Town Moderator		25.00	
Selectmen		75.00	
Police		25.00	
Computer Services		30.00	
Ballots and Supplies		66.25	
Total			471.28

Expenses Town Hall and Other Buildings

Public Service Company of New Hampshire			
Electricity		609.55	
Nichols Oil Company - Heating Oil		1,664.08	
New England Telephone Company - Service		692.88	
Marcotte Oil Company - Gas		19.22	
Custodian - Town Hall Leon Holdms, Jr. ..	156.60		
Colleen Emery	23.20	179.80	
Town Hall Supplies		349.50	
Repair to Town Buildings and Equipment .		515.05	
Mowing Town Property		220.90	
Smith Fire Equipment - Maintenance		124.00	
Total			4,374.98

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY**Police Department**

Richard P. Johnson - Chief Police Duty	1,889.00		
Gasoline	323.66		
Postage	15.00	2,227.66	
Gardon Copp Police Duty	1,617.00		
Gasoline	117.24	1,734.24	

Wayne Robinson Police Duty	1,287.00	
Gasoline	84.00	1,371.00
David Menter Police Duty	729.00	
Gasoline	220.25	949.25
Guerwood Holmes Police Duty	828.00	
Gasoline	34.00	862.00
Philip Copp, Jr. Police Duty	354.00	
Gasoline	111.20	465.20
Richard Heselton Police Duty		426.00
Newshire Forms, Inc. - Police Forms		81.34
Homestead Press & Bookshop - Police Forms		40.00
Ben's Uniforms - Uniforms	493.99	
Howard K. Brown - Badges		130.00
Fremont Motor Sales - Repairs		8.00
State of New Hampshire - Radar Calibration		10.00
Conway Associates, Inc. - First Aid		
Equipment		215.73
Scientific Detection Devices - One (1) Smith &		
Wesson Revolver and Equip.		340.00
Riley's Sport Shop, Inc. - Two (2) Smith &		
Wesson Revolvers		270.00
Total		9,624.41
Fire Department, Including Forest Fires		
Public Service Company of New Hampshire		
Electricity		639.13
New England Telephone Company		
Red Phone	143.72	
Black Phone	164.16	307.88
Town of Raymond Dispatch Service		800.00
Nichols Oil Company, Inc. - Heating Oil		860.56
Fremont Motor Sales - Gasoline, repairs and		
materials		3,010.18
Conway Associates - Fire equipment and		
supplies		4,230.01
Blanchard Associates - Hose and supplies		1,432.90
Forest Fires - 1. Town	822.16	
2. Mutual Aid, Raymond	243.13	1,065.29
Note - 1. Half reimbursed by the State of New Hampshire		
2. Fully reimbursed by Town Aided		
Forest Fire Wardens Meetings		50.72
Charles D. Kimball - Electrical Supplies		407.47
Alfred P. Benedetta - Repair Tanker #3		412.00
Memphis Equipment Co. - Supplies		65.10
Gordon Copp - Painting Siren		179.65
Trustworthy Hardware - Supplies		112.81

State of New Hampshire - Vehicle		
Registration, Supplies		251.05
R.E. Prescott Co. - Supplies		38.55
Globe Firefighters - Suits		38.60
Rowe Gas Station - Gasoline		8.35
Marr Radio Carop. - Radio Equipment		510.00
Radio Equipment Repair		796.38
R.L. Service, Inc. - Repair of Scott bottles . .		67.33
Recharging Extinguishers		44.80
Raymond Drug Co. - Oxygen		31.00
Modern Auto Radiator		400.00
Sanel Auto Parts - Supplies		669.01
Nickerson Auto Parts - Supplies		49.74
Robbins Auto Parts - Supplies		3.94
Rice Tire Co. - Tires		193.54
Techmar - Battery		31.50
Emblems and Badges		134.95
Pacific Fire Control - Nozzle		59.45
Vinings Market - Supplies		34.66
Magazines		40.00
N.H. Firemen's Association - Dues		170.00
Mal Cameron - Locks and Keys		20.00
Training and Interstate Emergency Unit . . .		86.00
Total		17,252.55
Planning and Zoning, including Board of Adjustment		
Planning Board - Postage	168.26	
Board of Adjustment - Postage	35.83	204.09
Community Calender		6.00
Reproductions		1.76
N.H. Public Television - Film Rental		30.00
Total		241.85
Care of Trees		
Total		0.00
Dog Officer's Expense		
Vinings Market - Dog Food		7.54
N.H.S.P.C.A. - Fees		25.00
James McKay - Animal Control Officer . . .		75.00
Total		107.54
Insurance		
Bartlett Insurance Agency - Package Policy .	1,056.00	
Workman's Compensation	87.00	
Officer's Bonds	430.00	
Fire Dept. Fire, Liab., Theft	1,730.00	
Firemens Accident	180.00	
Police Accident	62.75	3,545.75
N.H.M.A. Workmans Comp. Fund		139.00
Total		3,684.75

Civil Defense

Fremont Motor Sales - Repairs	122.39
State of New Hampshire - Auto Registration	2.00
Total	124.39

Conservation Commission

N.H. Association of Conservation	
Commissions - Dues	80.00
Elmer Schramm - Nursery Stock	26.00
Exeter Photo - Conservation pictures	25.84
Exeter Cooperative Bank - Savings Account	93.16
Total	225.00

HEALTH**Visiting Nurse**

Exeter Area Visiting Nurse Association	1,432.90
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Health Department

Raymond Ambulance Fund	400.00
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Town Dump and Garbage Removal

Town of Kingston, N.H. - Dumping Fee . . .	7,293.50
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Vital Statistics

Elizabeth J. Stanley - Fees	28.25
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Town Road Aid	391.26
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Town Highway Maintenance - Summer

Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor	174.58
Kevin Holmes - Labor	77.25
Robert Linehan - Labor	27.90
Raymond Balukus - Labor	12.36
Charles M. Healey - Labor	166.86
Raymond Roy - Labor	327.81
Albert Warren - Equip. Hire, Grader	1,748.40
Lester Blackwell - Equip. Hire	535.50
Leon Holmes, Sr. - Equip. Hire	3,263.01
Robert Desjardins - Equip. Hire	340.90
Raymond Roy - Equip. Hire	265.00
Leslie E. George - Equip. Hire, Mowing . . .	572.00
G.B. Construction Co. - Equip. Hire	124.80
Carlson Welding - Martin Road Bridge . . .	479.51
Charles Bolduc - Equip. Hire,	
Sandown Road Bridge	150.00
Total	8,265.88

Summer Construction or**Reconstruction per RSA 241:15**

N.H. Bituminous Co. - Asphalt	1,385.40
John Iafolla - Patch	1,940.10
Leon Holmes, Sr. - Equip. Hire	726.60
Robert Desjardins - Equip. Hire	239.40
Total	4,291.50

Sealing Roads - Article 9,**1979 Town Warrant**

Bituminous Products Co., Inc. - Asphalt . . .	1,637.48
Worthen Brothers Construction - Sander . . .	378.00
Robert Desjardins - Equip. Hire	106.40
Leon Holmes, Sr. - Equip. Hire	66.50
G. & B. Construction - Equip. Hire	435.32
Holmes & Bassett - Equip. Hire	144.00
Raymond Water Department - Sand	152.00
Kevin Holmes - Labor	64.89
Leon Holmes, Sr. - Labor	33.99
Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor	18.54
Total	3,037.12

Town Highway Maintenance - Winter

Lester Blackwell - Equip. Hire	1,082.50
Leon Holmes - Equip. Hire	3,940.34
Brentwood Hot Top - Equip. Hire	40.00
Gordon Copp - Equip. Hire	135.00
Guerwood Holmes - Equip. Hire	87.00
William Copp - Equip. Hire	451.00
Charles Bolduc - Equip. Hire	527.40
Arthur W. Rollins - Equip. Hire	240.75
Robert Desjardins - Equip. Hire	354.22
George Baker - Equip. Hire	657.52
Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor	489.75
Kevin Holmes - Labor	401.69
Allen Copp - Labor	117.42
Raymond Balukus - Labor	114.33
Raymond Roy - Labor	84.97
Teddy Bolduc - Labor	18.54
James McKay - Labor	9.27
Robert Linehan - Labor	9.27
Charles M. Healey - Labor	27.81
David Menter - Labor	9.27
Total	8,798.05

General Expense of Highway Department

Raymond Water Department - Sand	937.00
Fremont Motor Sales - Repairs	1,631.32
Allied Chemical Co. - Cold Mix	221.48
John Iafolla - Tar Patch	2,072.27
Granite State Minerals - Salt	1,445.89
Carlson Welding - Repairs	168.50
R.G. Hazelton Co. - Supplies	226.45
Raymond Building Supply - Supplies	11.85
Penn Culvert Company - Culverts and Railings	960.92
E.A. Wilson Co. - Concrete, Sandown Road Bridge Repair	280.63

State of New Hampshire - Signs	70.62
George Baker (W.S. Nickerson Auto Parts)- Plow Lights	119.90
Share Corp. - Pain	178.20
White Welding Co. - Repairs	98.51
W.S. Goodrich - Pipe	54.51
Vining's Market - Supplies	28.07
Nellie P. Bassett ! Hay	7.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange - Supplies . .	29.29
George Baker - Gravel	30.00
Leon Holmes, Sr. - Railroad Ties	30.00
N.H. Pulp Co. - Lumber	38.15
Trustworth Store - Supplies	12.38
Total	8,653.44

Street Lighting

Public Service Company of New Hampshire	2,111.63
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LIBRARY

Public Service Company of New Hampshire - Electricity	73.79
Nichols Oil Company - Heating Oil	297.84
Helen P. Seavey - Librarian Salary	1,171.60
Eastern Book Company - Books	370.42
Benefic Press - Books	19.65
Stephen Greene Press - Books	10.55
World Book Encyclopedia - Books	11.95
American Library Association - Booklist . .	28.00
The Highsmith Co., Inc. - Supplies	17.85
Total	2,001.65

PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire (3 Months 1978) . .	1532.40	
(9 Months 1979) . .	2529.91	4,062.31

Town Poor

Vinings's Market - Food Supplies	84.27
Transportation to Doctor	5.00
Total	89.27

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day

H.A. Holt & Sons - Flags	94.30
Rev. Thomas Thies - Minister	25.00
Bertram Seaver - Organ & P.A. System . . .	40.00
Sanborn Regional High School Band	75.00
Vinings Market - Supplies	29.00
Total	263.30

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries, Including Hearse Hire

Public Service Company of New Hampshire

Electricity	45.00
Charles M. Healey - Labor	466.60
Norman Bassett - Labor	142.10
Fremont Motors - Repairs	72.49
George Baker - Equip. Hire	169.80
Total	895.99

Town Reports

Edward Hatch, Printer -

Printing Town Report	1,650.00
Fremont Boy Scouts - Town Report Delivery	50.00
Total	1,700.00

Seacoast Regional Counseling Center 250.00

Exeter Children & Youth

Newmarket Health Center

Recreation - Little League

UNCLASSIFIED

Damages and Legal Expenses

Perkins, Holland, Donovan and Beckett -

Legal Services

Soule Leslie, Bronstein and Zelin -

Legal Services

Total

Advertising and Regional Associations

N.H. Association of Assessing Officials - Dues 20.00

N.H. City & Town Clerks Association - Dues 10.00

N.E. Association of City and Town Clerks - Dues 10.00

N.H. Tax Collectors Association-Dues 12.00

N.H. Municipal Association -

Dues 1979, 1980

Union Leader Corporation - Advertising

Budget Hearing

Rockingham County Newspapers -

Advertising

Planning Board Hearings

Board of Adjustment Hearings

Budget Hearing

Selectmen - Dog Ordinance

Total

Southeastern Regional Planning

Commission

Taxes bought by Town 1979		31,592.73
Discounts, abateements and refunds		1,432.89
Payment to Trustee of Trust Funds		16,500.00
Payment to Revenue Sharing Account		13,934.00
Payment to Tax Collector - Yield Tax		
Security Deposits		297.30
DEBT SERVICE		
Interest paid on Tax Anticipation Notes	1,371.04	
Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	50,000.00	51,371.04
Payments for Town Savings Certificates		113,000.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY		
Animal Shelter		103.29
Frink Snow Plow		2,435.00
Public Safety Modifications		
to Town Hall		2,222.00
Class A Pumper Fire Truck		33,350.00
Reappraisal of Property		15,510.50
Payment to Other Governmental Divisions		
State of New Hampshire		
1978 Bond & Debt Tax	287.85	
Dog Fees	97.50	385.35
Rockingham County Taxes		18,436.00
Payment to School District		
1978 - 1979 Year	239,947.00	
1979-1980 Year	120,000.00	359,947.00
Total Payments - All Purposes		766,123.71
Cash on Hand (Checking) 12/31/79		172,898.28
Grand Total		939,021.99

Selectmen's Report

The total reassessment of the town has been completed, and all property now is at 100% of fair market value.

The Assessors received quite a number of inquiries and disagreements on Valuation. All of these were answered, and where necessary, a re-appraisal of the property was done. There are still many questions in property owner's minds, and we constantly hear the question: Why is my valuation higher than So and So's? Their house is the same as mine. If their house were exactly the same as yours; example, same age, condition, location, land area and type, size, etc., the two house would be very close if not the same in valuation. Please do not attempt to compare because there are differences that effect valuation on each property. If you have questions, please see the Selectmen at their regular meetings.

The Selectmen have changed their regular meeting nights to the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month, 7 to 9 p.m. Most of the towns around us meet on Monday, and this enables us to have better communication between towns.

Very soon each taxpayer will receive the first draft of the Master Plan for the town. This is a very important document that concerns the future prosperity and well-being of the town and its' inhabitants. The N.H. Supreme Court has stated that all towns shall have a Master Plan as a foundation for their zoning laws and future additions or amendments.

A sub-committee under the direction of the Planning Board, with the endorsement of the Selectmen, has been established to develop this Master Plan.

Please read the Plan very closely and respond with your comments, both favorable and unfavorable on any or all sections. It will make a difference. If you do not respond, you leave the door wide open for any special interest group in town to have the say over what you can or cannot do with your property for years to come.

Growth is inevitable. If allowed to go uncontrolled it can be disastrous for the individual property owner, expecially the young property owner who now, because of the spiraling inflation rate, finds it hard to pay oppressive taxes on their income and property. The Senior Citizens, who live on fixed incomes such as Social Security, can't keep up with food costs let alone taxes.

The faster we grow, the more services need to be provided from all departments of the town. Controlled growth under the law can be a good thing for all. It's up to you - THE VOTER.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles M. Healey
George H. Baker, Jr.
Robert A. Waddell
Selectmen of Fremont

Report of the Road Agent

This winter has been a good one as far as expenses go, which helped the winter maintenance budget. Some of this money will be used for extra summer work.

Bridges need guard-rails or rail repairs, and all bridges need cleaning and painting.

There are a number of trees on various roads that are hazardous and need to be taken down. I will not cut down any tree or trim it unless it is dead or a hazard to traffic. Different types of trees are available through the Conservation Commission if you wish to plant them, but please place them well back from the highway.

As with everything else, the cost of asphalt is going up fast because it is made with oil. If we want to preserve our roads, we have to use it. Alternates are now being developed and tested.

The deep frost this winter has been hard on roads and caused frost heaves, etc. The roads we have sealed with the Special Sealing Appropriation have stood up very well, and I recommend this program be continued.

I hope an agreement can be reached between the Town and the Riverside Drive/Tibbs Grove area residents so that these roads can be maintained and given as much consideration as all other roads in town.

I would like to thank all the people who have helped me in various ways over the past four years and hope for continued cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
Leon F. Holmes
Road Agent

Report of the Fremont Fire Department

To The People of Fremont:

This is the year we of the Fremont Fire Department have long been waiting for. The new Class A Pumper is on order and it looks as though it will be delivered early this spring. This has been a long wait, as our last new fire truck was purchased in 1961.

The next thing I'd like to mention is in regards to the ever increasing use of wood for home heat. With the use of wood, we are beginning to see many problems arising, such as faulty chimneys, stoves being installed too close to combustible materials and stove pipes too close to ceilings, wallboard, studding, etc... There are several pamphlets available at the Fire Station explaining proper ways to install wood burning devices. Stop by and pick one up! Also, care must be taken when disposing of the ashes. You should always use metal container and let them cool down in it before disposing of them in a safe place such as a cleared piece of ground or in a garden.

I would like to remind you also, that a permit is required for the installation of any oil fired heating device. The Fire Department must inspect the installation of this heating device BEFORE it can be used. For

information on oil burners, please contact Captain Lloyd Metevier at 895-2942 after 6:00 P.M.

The Fire Department is still being plagued by unknown persons starting woods fires in very inaccessible areas. One must realize this greatly increases the cost of control which is directly reflected in your tax bill. We would appreciate anyone who sees a suspicious person in or near woodlands to report it to the Fire or Police Departments.

I would like to remind everyone that a permit is required for any outside burning when the ground is not covered by snow. These permits can only be issued for burning BEFORE the hour of 9:00 A.M. and AFTER 6:00 P.M.. This is a State regulation. These permits may be obtained by contacting any one of the Forest Fire Wardens listed in the front of this book.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Fremont Firemen's Association and The Ladies Auxilary for their hardwork and financial help.

And last but not least, I would like to thank the officers and men for the many hours they have so unselfishly given to make the Fremont Fire Department the fine organization that it is!

Richard C. Heselton
Chief

1979 Fire Calls

January		May	
Smoke Invest.	2	Public Service	1
Chimney Fire	3	Brush Fire	3
Public Service	9	Woods Fire	2
Mutual Aid-Auto	2	Dwelling Fire	1
February		Smoke Invest.	1
Mutual Aid-Fire	10	Mutual Aid-Auto.	1
Mutual Aid-Auto.	3	June	
Fire-Dwelling	2	Dwelling Fire	1
Public Service	3	Woods Fire	2
Chimney Fire	3	Mill Fire (Vehicle)	1
March		Malicious, Set.	1
Public Service	3	July	
Chimney Fire	1	Malicious, Set	1
Fire Dwelling	1	Car Fire	2
Mutual Aid-Auto.	1	Public Service	1
April		Mutual Aid-Fire	3
Vehicle Fire	1	Medical Assist.	2
Chimney Fire	1	Lightning	1
Brush Fire	2	August	
Illegal Burn	2	Lightning	1
Woods Fire	1	Mutual Aid-Auto.	2
Medical Assist.	1	Medical Assist.	2
Public Service	1	Mutual Aid-Fire	1
Rescue (Goat)	1	Smoke Invest.	1

Car Fire	2	November	
Malicious, Set.	1	Malicious, Set	1
September		Medical Assist.	1
Mutual Aid-Fire	2	December	
Woods Fire	1	Dwelling Fire	1
October		Medical Assist.	2
Fire-Dwelling	1	Chimney Fire	1
Tree Fire	1	Fire-Electrical	1
Malicious, Set	1	Mutual Aid-Auto.	1
Investigation	1		
		Total of 102 Calls	

Report of Forest Fire Warden and State Forest Fire Service

Prevention and control of forest fires is handled through a cooperative effort between town/city fire organizations and the State Forest Fire Service.

Since 1903, when the first forest fire laws were passed by our Legislature, the State Forester has appointed someone in each municipality as a Forest Fire Warden and charged him with the responsibility of forest fire prevention and control within his town/city. This person may ask the State Forester to appoint as many Deputy Forest Fire Wardens as may be necessary to efficiently carry out his charge.

The State Forester has divided the State into ten forest fire districts with a full time District Forest Fire Chief in each district. The State organization is charged with assisting the municiple forest fire organization in any way possible.

State personnel conduct fire training schools, assist with forest fire suppression, fire cause investigation, prosecution of fire law violators and forest fire prevention programs. Forest fire suppression equipment is purchased through State bulk purchasing ability and sold to local forest fire organizations at one-half cost. Excess military property is obtained and turned over to town/city fire departments at no cost to local departments for conversion into fire suppression units. This cooperative arrangement between State and municipality has resulted in one of the best forest fire records in the United States with less than one-half acre of woodland burned in each fire reported.

1979 Forest Fire Statistics

	No. of Fires	No Of Acres
State	1,099	318
District	342	106
Town	9	5

Report of the Fremont Police Department

I would like to report the annual account of the Fremont Police Department for the year 1979. The following is a break down of the types of complaints and frequency encountered in 1979.

Arrest	6	Runaways	11
Assaults	3	Vandalism	14
Traffic Accidents	31	Suspicious vehicles	15
B&E (Breaks)	11	Stolen property (3 items recovered)	6
Attempted B&E	3	Stolen vehicles (1 recovered)	2
Court	12	Assist to motorist	3
Dog complaints	49	Attempted car theft	1
Domestic	39	Attempted suicide	1
Messages delivered	9	Traffic (Fire Department)	19
Miscellaneous	195	Assist to Raymond Ambulance (Escort)	10
Motorcycles stolen	2	Criminal mischief	1
Petty theft	14	Criminal threatening	2
Prowlers (suspicious persons)	8	Hit & Run (Motor Vehicle)	3

Members of the Police Department attended a school sponsored by the N.H. Police Standards in Durham, New Hampshire this past year. The course covered all phases of police work, and ran 16 weeks, 2 nights per week.

During the past year over twenty-four hundred man hours of Police work was done by your department in patrolling and responding to all complaints.

I would like to thank my officers for their excellent performance and cooperation, also to the residents of Fremont for their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard P. Johnson
Chief of Police

Report of Fremont Conservation Commission

-1979-

The 7-member Fremont Conservation Commission experienced a year of change both in membership and in emphasis of objectives for the commission. At year's end, two new members had been appointed and one appointment remains to be filled. Increased emphasis was placed on commission review activities on dredge and fill permits and development of resource inventories.

The Annual Wildlife Tree and Shrub Program was held in March and was well received. Many orders for wildlife plantings were taken and an excellent film was shown by State Game Warden Herb Rollings.

The commission entered negotiations with the Society for the Preservation of New Hampshire Forests to acquire their 100 acre tract on Ridge Road as a town conservation area. Title work was begun and appraisals and possible transfer of ownership are schedule for 1980.

Review of dredge and fill permits resulted in the correction of one fill

violation by the developer. A request was made to the State Special Board for review by the state engineer on another fill application before permit was granted. Monitoring of development in or adjacent to wetlands will continue.

A model wetlands ordinance was studied and is being adapted for use by the town.

In a joint effort with the master plan sub-committee of the planning board, a wetlands inventory was initiated. Final mapping will be completed in early 1980. This inventory marks the first time the wetlands of Fremont have been outlined in detail.

The Big Tree Program continued with several candidate trees being measured for possible nomination. To date, no state or national championship trees have been found but there are a number of areas in town yet to check.

A large thank you from the commission members and the town is in order to Elmer A. Schramm. His many years of dedicated service as chairman and his continuing active membership is truly appreciated.

David E. Janes
Chairman

Report of the Planning Board

Report of the Planning Board Subcommittee for the Development of the Comprehensive Community Plan.

To the Citizens of Fremont: Though our progress this year has seemed slow, our data base and production of maps necessary for proper future planning are nearly complete, so the project is now gaining momentum, particularly with the formation of the Sounding Board. It is within our province to only recommend future courses to fulfill the stated goals as very clearly mandated by the excellent response to our survey last Spring.

These goals which must be kept in mind when recommending future planning are:

1. To keep the small town environment, open space and rural atmosphere.
2. To keep the town affordable and open to all income groups.
3. To attract industry; to set up specific areas for commercial and for non-polluting industry.
4. To provide recreation areas.
5. To provide medical and dental services.

Our target date for the distribution of the first draft of the Plan for comment is April 15, 1980. We sincerely request that you do take the time to read the Plan and write your comments and return the material to us for this is the only way we will be able to establish a workable plan for our town.

Respectfully submitted,
Gertrude I. Butler
Coordinator

Memorial Day - 1979

A group of citizens interested in revitalizing Fremont's observance of Memorial Day pooled their efforts and hopefully restored a real "town day" on this national holiday. Because of the confusion that exists in the state and nation as to the actual holiday, it was decided to declare Sunday, May 27, 1979, as this town's Memorial Day - 1979.

The traditional parade of town officials, veterans, service and civic organizations led by the color bearers and band proceeded from the Pratt Memorial Park to the town hall where a flag given by Mrs. Lindsay in memorial of her husband Ralph Lindsay was dedicated. At the Fremont Fire Station a flag and plaque were dedicated to the memory of former Fire Chief, Clarence Philbrick.

The ceremonies at the cemetery included a short appropriate speech by Lt. Col. Carmen D. Ragonese and an excellent rendition of the Gettysburg Address by Lisa Thomas, a sixth grader who took first place in the public speaking contest at Ellis School. The graves of the veterans of all wars in all the town cemeteries had been previously decorated with flags and geraniums.

Following the ceremonies, a cold roast beef and salad luncheon was served to over three hundred people at the Ellis School, thanks to the efforts and donations of the ladies of the town through the organizations of the Methodist Church, Fire Flames and Community Club. Assistance with preparation and slicing of the beef was generously provided by Dave Lafayette of Vining's Market. The cost of the tickets for this meal was \$2.00 and \$1.00 (under 12), purposely inexpensive so all could partake who so wished.

The Old Meeting House, complete with historical display and guides was open much of the day thanks to Sandy Thomas and his helpers.

Ruth and Jerry Candela planned and sponsored a doll carriage and bicycle parade at 1 p.m. in front of the school with excellent participation.

The Fremont Firemen and Policement teamed off and started a new tradition with a softball game in the afternoon.

Thanks to the efforts and good will of many citizens, the day was a success well worth repeating. The project was planned to be self-sufficient but non-profit. However, perhaps sparked by the donation of \$50 from the Community Club as it closed its sixty year history of community dedication and service, "non-profit" became an inaccuracy. When the committee tallied up its receipts, and paid all the bills, a balance of \$346.90 was banked at the Exeter Cooperative Bank as the non-profit, duly identified "Fremont Memorial Day Fund" with Lloyd Metevier, Patricia Johnson and Jean Ragonese as trustees.

Report of the Building Inspector

A new Code issued by the Governor's Council on Energy was put into effect in August of 1979. Basically it states that all new housing and remodeling of existing structures in excess of 50% of the assessed valuation must meet the requirements of these regulations. Building Permits cannot be issued until approval of the structure design will assure meeting these requirements. The necessary Forms for Approval Submission are available from:

Governors Council on Energy
2½ Beacon Street
Concord, New Hampshire 03301
Tel: - 1-800-852-3466

The quota for new residences under the Town 3% growth as covered by our Zoning Ordinance (14 residences) was reached this past year and in addition 26 permits were issued for additions or alterations during the year 1979 thus making a total of 40 during 1979 which is down from the 53 issued during 1978.

Kenneth Shute
Building Inspector

Report of the Library Trustees

Operating expenses for the Fremont Library for 1979 were: Librarian's Salary, \$1,171.60, Heating Oil, \$297.84. Electricity, \$73.79. Books purchased, \$412.57, Booklist \$28.00, Supplies, \$17.85.

The Trustees are glad to report that the book circulation has increased this year. We wish to thank everyone who has made contributions to the Library in the past year.

Library hours are: Tuesday 4-8 p.m. Thursday 1-5 p.m.

Orris Johnson
Lucy Schramm
John Gieroch
Library Trustees

Librarian's Report 1979

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand	\$00.00
Discards	6.50
New Books Sold	9.12
Reimbursement--Damaged Book	6.00
Fines	<u>9.95</u>
	\$31.57

DISBURSEMENTS

Postage	\$ 5.80
Supplies	3.54
Books	<u>18.01</u>
	\$27.35

CASH ON HAND	\$4.22
BOOK	CIRCULATION

BOOK CIRCULATION

Adult Fiction	1754
Adult Non-Fiction	1017
Youth, Junior, Elementary	2329
Records	5
Magazines	52
Patterns	<u>40</u>
	5197

BOOKS BORROWED FROM BOOKMOBILE

Adult Fiction	327
Adult Non-Fiction	159
Youth, Junior, Elementary	<u>385</u>
	871

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Fremont for the year ending December 31, 1978

PRINCIPAL INCOME

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Balance 1/1/79	New Funds	Fund Expended Created	Balance 12/31/79	Balance 1/1/79	Percent	Income 1979	Expended 1979	Balance 12/31/79
CEMETERY FUNDS												
	Old Funds	Cemetery Care	Banks	20249.98			20249.98	4105.87	5½%	1416.12	997.70	4524.29
	New Fund Herbert Fuller			000.00	400.00		400.00	000.00		2.99	0.00	2.99
	Totals of Cemetery Funds			20249.98	400.00		20649.98	4105.87	5½	1419.11	997.70	4527.28
1968	Common Trust #1, Nat. Div.	Cemetery	Mutual Fund	6498.50			6498.50	1232.11		449.15	320.90	1360.36
CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS - TOWN												
Town of Fremont												
	SPECIAL FUNDS	Fire Engine	Banks & CD	32000.00	16500.00	(26196.39)	22303.61	6317.29	Various	3151.26	•7153.61	2314.94
1953	Common Trust #2	Methodist Sup. Univ. Sup.	Puritan Fund	18007.68			18473.13	0.00		1260.12	1260.12	0.00
1973	Chase, Sarah A.	Worthy Poor	Bank	1000.00	465.45		1000.00	4.76	5½	56.18	0.00	60.94
1873	Chase, Sarah A.	Old Mtg. House	Bank	1396.71			1396.71	1079.79	5½	138.76	0.00	1218.55
1976	Frost, Lillian H.	Public Library	Bank	1000.00			1000.00	124.72	6¾	92.07	0.00	216.79
1979	Frost, Lillian H.	Public Schools	Bank	1000.00			1000.00	124.72	6¾	92.07	0.00	216.79
1976	Frost, Lillian H.	Methodist Sup. Bank		5000.00			5000.00	623.64	6¾	439.31	400.00	662.95
1920	Higgins, Mary S.	Methodist Sup. Bank		72.29			72.29	17.93	5½	5.03	0.00	22.96
1917	Robinson, Josiah	Methodist Sup. Bank		77.84			77.84	101.88	5½	5.69	0.00	107.57
	Totals Special Funds			27554.52	465.45		28019.97	2077.44		2089.23	1660.12	2506.55
Grand Totals				86303.00	17365.45	(26196.39)	77472.06	13732.71		7108.75	10132.33	10709.13

Annual Reports
of the
OFFICERS
of the
FREMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fremont, New Hampshire

For the School Year Ending
June 30, 1979

Officers of the Fremont School District

1979 - 1980

SCHOOL BOARD

Mary Stiner, Chairperson Term Expires 1980
Leonard Bonagura Term Expires 1981
Maureen Buhrman Term Expires 1982

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Francis C. Wilson

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

John P. Ball

TREASURER

Elizabeth Stanley

MODERATOR

George H. Baker

CLERK

Barbara Baker

AUDITOR

Herman Ostendorf

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

William Copp

SCHOOL NURSE

Sandra McDonald, R.N.

School Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Fremont, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the eleventh day of March 1980 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects: (The polls will close at seven o'clock in the evening.)

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To choose Auditors for the ensuing year.
6. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

NOTE: The above warrant is unofficial. The official warrant with changes, if any, will be posted at least fourteen days prior to the district meeting.

Mary Stiner
Leonard Bonagura
Maureen Buhrman
Fremont School Board

School Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Fremont qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Laurence Pettengill Hall - Ellis School in said District on the tenth day of March 1980 at eight o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
2. To see if the District will vote to authorize the school board to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from the Federal, State and County governments in connection with the Manpower Jobs, Program for the Economically Disadvantaged for Training Program in such sum or sums as may be available from said program.
3. To see if the District will authorize the school board to make application for, to receive and spend in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, Local or Private Agencies.
4. To see if the District will vote to authorize the school board to request an audit by the Municipal Services Division of the Department of Revenue Administration or employ an independent public accountant to examine the accounts of the school district at the close of each fiscal year. This action to become effective on the expiration of the term of the Auditor elected at the March 11, 1980 School District Meeting thus discontinuing the annual practice of electing an auditor as provided in RSA 197:14 and this vote shall remain in full force and effect until changed by a vote of a subsequent School District Meeting.
5. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for payment of statutory obligations of the district.
6. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

NOTE: The above warrant is unofficial. The official warrant with changes, if any, will be posted at least fourteen days prior to the district meeting.

Mary Stiner
Leonard Bonagura
Maureen Buhrman
Fremont School Board

School Budget

Purpose of Appropriation	Approved Budget 1979-80	School Board's Budget 1980-81	Recommended 1980-81
INSTRUCTION			
Regular Programs	325,064.00	305,461.00	305,461.00
Special Programs	19,172.00	36,016.00	36,016.00
Other Instructional Programs . .	1,650.00	975.00	975.00
SUPPORT SERVICES			
Pupil Services			
Attendance & Social Work . . .	25.00	25.00	25.00
Guidance	2,120.00	4,660.00	4,660.00
Health	4,544.00	6,015.00	6,015.00
Speech Path & Audiology		1,000.00	1,000.00
Other Pupil Services	200.00	200.00	200.00
Instructional Staff Services			
Improvement of Instruction . .	2,000.00	2,160.00	2,160.00
Educational Media	2,150.00	3,494.00	3,494.00
General Administration			
School Board			
All Other Objects	1,785.00	2,490.00	2,490.00
Office of Superintendent			
Sch. Adm. U. Mang. Serv. . . .	12,246.55	14,155.00	14,155.00
All Other Objects	100.00	100.00	100.00
School Administration Services .	20,899.00	22,695.00	22,695.00
Business Services			
Operation & Maint. of Plant . .	39,412.00	57,655.00	57,655.00
Pupil Transportation	29,898.00	37,248.00	37,248.00
Managerial Services	500.00		
COMMUNITIES SERVICES			
FACILITIES ACQUISITIONS &			
CONST.	1,220.00	210.00	210.00
OTHER OUTLAYS			
Debt Service			
Principal	18,600.00	18,600.00	18,600.00
Interest	7,660.63	6,845.00	6,845.00
Fund Transfers			
To Capital Reserve Fund			
To Food Service Fund	7,243.00	8,438.00	8,438.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	496,489.18	528,442.00	528,442.00

Estimated Revenues

Budget Revenues & Credits Available To Reduce School Taxes	Revenues 1979-80	Budget 1980-81	Committee 1980-81
Unreserved Fund Balance	16,594.82	10,000.00	10,000.00
REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES			
Foundation Aid	26,306.00	26,000.00	26,000.00
Sweepstakes	5,760.0	6,500.00	6,500.00
School Building Aid	7,111.00	5,580.00	5,580.00
Handicapped Aid	9,868.00	8,300.00	8,300.00
Child Nutrition	5,000.00	438.00	438.00
REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCE			
Child Nutrition Program		7,871.00	7,871.00
Earnings on Investments -			
Trust Fund	600.00	425.00	425.00
OTHER			
Lunch Salaries	6,693.00		
Rent	1,750.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total School Revenues & Credits ..	79,682.82	68,114.00	68,114.00
District Assessment	416,806.36	460,328.00	460,328.00
Total Revenues &			
District Assessment	496,489.18	528,442.00	528,442.00

Ann Davis, *Chairperson*

Mary Stiner

Charles Buhrman

Robert Stackpole

Robert Waddell

Budget Committee

School District Meeting

March 12, 1979

The School District Meeting for the Town of Fremont opened at 8:00 p.m. at the Laurence Pettengill Hall, Ellis School, in said district. Mr. George H. Baker, Moderator, made the following announcement:

The Chair will use only as guides in the conduct of this meeting Robert's Rules of Order, Demeters Manual on Parliamentary Procedure, The Annual School District Meeting Handbook, and the Revised Statutes Annotated, State of New Hampshire.

The only persons the Chair will recognize other than legal voters of the Town of Fremont are the Superintendent of Schools or his Agent, and Mr. Standen, the Principal of Ellis School.

In compliance with RSA 197:5, no article other than those contained in the official Warrant may be entered at this meeting.

It is with regret that I announce the absence from this meeting of Mr. Leonard Bonagura, School Board Member, due to a heart attack. We all wish Len a speedy and full recovery.

I will now read the Articles of the official Warrant to be acted upon at this meeting; then we will act on each Article separately.

ARTICLE I

To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Mrs. Mary Stiner, School Board Member, made the motion that the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen be accepted as printed and read.

Seconded by Mrs. Maureen Buhrman, School Board member.

Mrs. Stiner stated that she would like to discuss the new law regarding handicapped children, which is as follows:

PUBLIC LAW 94-142

The Education for all Handicapped Children Act of 1975

The item which has added the largest increase to the school budget is Special Education. Perhaps, the following facts will be helpful in providing a clearer understanding of the whole subject.

First of all is the definition of handicapped. Public Law 94-142 defines handicapped children as: "mentally retarded, hard of hearing, speech impaired, visually handicapped, seriously emotionally disturbed, orthopedically impaired, or other health impaired children, or children with specific learning disabilities who by reason thereof require special education and related services."

The Back ground of P.L. 94-142 is as follows:

The Rehabilitation Act of 1973 includes a provision which stated that "no otherwise qualified handicapped individual in the united States, shall, solely by reason of his handicap, be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance." Therefore, this law mandates as a civil right that all handicapped children must have available to them a free public education.

Then in 1975, Public Law 94-142 was passed, and this is even more specific in mandating that states provide a free education for all handicapped children. The purpose of this act requires that states "assure that all handicapped children have available to them, . . . a free appropriate public education and related services designed to meet their unique needs. . ."

Even though this law was passed in 1975, the compliance date was September 1, 1978. As of last September, New Hampshire school districts have had a legal obligation to identify all handicapped children, ages 0 to 21 within their district, and to be sure that all of these children, ages 3 to 21 have available to them a free, appropriate public education.

Before any action is taken to place a handicapped child in a special education program, a full and individual evaluation of the child's educational needs must be done. If testing and conferences show the need for special ed and related services, then an individualized education program must be developed for the child, and suitable placement must be decided.

This individualized educational program must make provisions for any necessary related services, such as transportation and other developmental, corrective, and supportive services. Speech pathology and audiology, psychological services, physical and occupational therapy are a few of the types of services which may be needed.

The important thing is that all services must be provided at no extra cost to parents or guardians. Also, every handicapped child, who can benefit in a regular classroom, should be so placed and provided with the aids needed to compensate for the disability.

Obviously, this type of education can be very expensive. Who is going to pay the bills? Approximately \$20 million of federal, state, and local funds were spent last year in New Hampshire to educate the handicapped. A little more than \$1 million was given to the state under federal funding, and the state spent \$2 million. The remaining \$17 million was born by local governments.

Another question which is frequently asked is "Why does New Hampshire, or Fremont, have to comply with P.L. 94-142?" First of all, handicapped persons, like all Americans, have civil rights, and a free public education is one of these rights. The federal government can withhold all federal funds for handicapped education, and furthermore, if the state fails to comply, the federal government can also withhold either all or part of the total amount of all federal funds granted to the state for education. In 1977, New Hampshire received more than \$29 million from the federal government for all education programs.

This is an extremely bried explanation of special education and its many aspects. The important thing which we must all remember is that school districts are required to comply. We no longer have a choice."

Mrs. Stiner went on to explain in more detail our situation in Fremont. There were four children in Rockingham at the beginning of the year; now there are six. Three children are in Raymond Junior H.S. All these children have serious problems that we cannot handle here at Ellis.

Ten children now at Ellis have already been tested and are in need of help. Seventeen children are identified and are waiting to be tested when and if we have the funds. The total figure in the budget for handicapped children is \$42,650, which includes testing, nurses' assistance, a partition to make a Resource room, and \$7,000 in transportation. Your School Board is trying to comply in the most economical way possible to this law and still do what must be done for these children. This is the largest increase in the budget.

The Moderator called for the vote. Motion carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE II

To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from the Federal, State and County Governments in connection with the Manpower Jobs, Program for the economically disadvantaged for training programs, in such sum or sums as may be available from said program.

Mrs. Buhrman made the motion that the District authorize the School Board to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from the Federal, State, and County Governments in connection with the Manpower Jobs, Program for the economically disadvantaged for training programs, in such sum or sums as may be available from said program.

Seconded by Mrs. Stiner.

A question was asked from the floor if this was CETA funds. Mrs. Stiner stated it included CETA funds but the School Board had no program in mind. This is put in the Warrant in case someone becomes available that we can use.

The Moderator called for the vote. Motion carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE III

On petition of ten legal voters (and more) to see if the District will vote to rescind Article V of the District Meeting of March 13, 1978 and vote to provide transportation of high school students to Sanborn Regional High School only.

Mr. Theron Young made the motion to reject this Article.

The motion was ruled as not in order.

Mrs. Phillis Menard moved that this Article be open for discussion. Seconded by Mr. Steven Menard.

Mr. Stuart Langton made a motion to postpone this Article indefinitely. Seconded by Mr. Philip Davis.

Mr. Langton felt that the School Board should continue to have the authority as passed in Article V at the 1978 School District Meeting, to bus children to Pinkerton and to Sanborn. He also felt that there were some irregularities in the submission of this Article for the Warrant.

The Moderator called for the vote. The voice vote not being clear, the Moderator called for a standing vote. Yes - 79; No - 30. The motion was carried.

ARTICLE IV

To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for, to receive and spend in the name of the district such advances, grants - in - aid or other funds for educational purposes as may

now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, Local or Private Agencies.

Mrs. Stiner moved that the District authorize the School Board to make application for, to receive and spend in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, Local or Private Agencies.

Seconded by Mrs. Buhrman. Motion carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE V

To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to change the position of Assistant Superintendent in Supervisory Union No. 14 to Business Manager beginning July 1, 1979.

Mrs. Buhrman made the motion that the District vote to authorize the School Board to retain the position of Assistant Superintendent in Supervisory Union #14.

Seconded by Mrs. Stiner.

Inclusion of this Article was mandatory by the State, but the School Board would like to retain the Assistant Superintendent instead of changing the position to Business Manager. Changing the title of this position would change the job description from a person oriented in education to one more oriented in business, which the School Board objected to.

The Moderator called for the vote. The Article was defeated.

ARTICLE VI

To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for payment of statutory obligations of the district.

Mrs. Stiner made the motion to consider the budget by line item.

Seconded by Mrs. Buhrman. The vote on the motion to consider the budget by line item was carried.

Discussion and vote on the budget line by line commenced.

Under Section 210 Salaries, Mr. Larry Whitman made the motion to reduce the figure to \$126,000. Discussion of all the teachers' salaries for this year and last year followed.

The Moderator called for the vote. The motion to reduce the Salaries was defeated. Voting followed on original figure of \$134,167 for Salaries. Passed by voice vote.

Under Section 500 Pupil Transportation, Mr. Larry Whitman moved that the figure of \$31,658 be reduced to \$22,748, the difference being \$8,910 which was the amount quoted by the School Board as the Cost of busing to Pinkerton. Discussion followed.

The moderator called for the vote on the amended figure of \$22,748 for Pupil Transportation. The voice vote not being clear, the Moderator called for a standing vote. Yes - 65; No - 43. Motion to reduce the figure to \$22,748 passed.

Under Section 640 Heat, Mr. Stuart Langton made a motion to increase this figure to \$12,000 in view of the current cost of fuel and future

increases. Motion seconded.

The Moderator called for the vote. The motion to increase the figure for Heat to \$12,000 was defeated by voice vote. Voting followed on original figure of \$9,500 for Heat. Passed by voice vote.

Under Section 1000 Student Body Activities, Mr. Larry Whitman made the motion to reduce the figure of \$1,350 to \$1,100. Seconded. Discussion followed on the different sports programs at Ellis, the coaches, and the amount of money each received.

The Moderator called for the vote. Motion defeated by voice vote. Vote on original figure of \$1,350 for Student Body Activities passed by voice vote.

Voting on the line item budget being completed, the Moderator called for action on Article VI.

Mrs. Stiner made the motion that the District raise and appropriate \$496,489.18 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

Seconded by Larry Whitman. The motion was passed by voice vote.
ARTICLE VII

To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Mrs. Buhrman made the motion to adjourn. Seconded by numerous people. The meeting adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

Barbara D. Baker, Clerk
Fremont School District

Report of School District Treasurer

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1978 to June 30, 1979

Cash on Hand July 1, 1978 (Treasurer's bank balance)		16,663.47
Current Appropriation	362,947.00	
Revenue from State Sources	47,822.41	
Revenue from Federal Sources	8,308.99	
Received as income from Trust Funds	400.00	
Received from all Other Sources	13,533.24	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		433,011.64
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		
Balance and Receipts)	449,675.11	
Less School Board Orders Paid	433,971.29	
Balance on Hand June 30, 1979 (Treasurer's Bank Balance		15,703.82

August 4, 1979 Elizabeth J. Stanley
District Treasurer

Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Fremont, New Hampshire of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1979, and find them correct in all respects.

August 31, 1979

Herman Ostendorf

Auditor

Detailed Statement of Receipts

Date	From Whom	Description	Amount
7/78-6/79	Fremont PTA	Gym Rental	1,920.00
	Town of Fremont	Appropriations	362,947.00
	State of N.H.	School Building Aid	7,110.76
	State of N.H.	Sweepstakes	6,706.99
	State of N.H.	School Lunch Reimb	8,308.99
	Fremont Lunch Prog.	Salary Reimbursement	4,948.46
	Rockingham Strafford	Ceta Salary Refunds	2,133.13
	Lillian Frost Trust	Trust Fund Income	400.00
	State of N.H.	Foundation Aid	34,004.66
	SU #14	Substitute Reimb	127.34
	State of N.H.	Spec. Ed Reimb	2,501.00
9/30/78	Cathy Hall	Rent	20.00
	Orris Johnson	School Desk Sale	5.00
	Roberta DeGozzaldi	School Desk Sale	5.00
	Blue Cross-Blue Shield	Refund	119.00
10/31/78	Diane Johnson	Rent	40.00
	Dorothy Porter	Rent	25.00
	Alvin Cate	School Desk Sale	15.00
	M. Sullivan	School Desk Sale	15.00
2/08/79	Roger Anderson	Rent	20.00
4/30/79	Raymond - Epping		
	Head Start	Rent	40.00
	Harry Richards	Rent	20.00
	George & Dale Winship	Library Contribution	10.00
6/30/79	SU#14	Pinkerton Tuition Ref.	851.60
	Sanborn Regional	Tuition Refund	717.71
Total Receipts During Year			433,011.64

Detailed List of Payments

1978 - 1979

Administration

Salaries for Administration \$ 925.00

Contracted Service for Administration

Herman Ostendorf, Auditor	100.00	
Perkins Holland & Beckett-Attorney Fees	151.60	
Pearl Holmes-Census Taker	100.00	
Soule & Leslie - Attorney Fees	<u>57.00</u>	408.60

Other Expenses for Administration

The Amer. Sch. Board Journal, Sub. . .	24.00	
NH Sch. Board Assoc. - Dues	250.00	
1979 Echo - Ad	20.00	
People's United Methodist Church - Calendar	5.50	
Elizabeth Stanley - Postage	67.10	
Exeter New Letter - Ballots	45.00	
N.H. Heart Association - Donation . . .	<u>25.00</u>	436.60

Salaries for Principals 15,075.00

Salaries for Teachers 93,350.00

Salaries for Substitutes 1,280.00

Refund	<u>127.34</u>	1,152.66
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Salaries for Secretaries 3,969.00

Salaries for Home Instruction 477.50

Textbooks 1,601.24

School Library and Audio-Visual

Addison Wesley Publishing Co. - Books	98.45	
Doubleday & Co. - Library Kits	20.82	
E&R Development Co. - Poster	1.00	
General Electric Supply - Bulbs	3.50	
J.L. Hammett Co. - Books	20.17	
Harper & Row Publishers - Books	21.00	
Northern Supply Co. - Supplies	56.07	
Scott Foresman & Co. -Math workbooks	102.22	
World Book-Childcraft-Encyclopedia . .	355.00	
Educators Progress - Guide Book	15.70	
N.H. Historical Society - History Book .	3.95	
Newspaper Enterprise - Almanac	7.70	
National Geographic - Books	294.50	
Robert F. Schur Jr. - Slide Kits	46.00	
The Turner Sub. Agency - Magazines . .	121.99	
The World Almanac - Almanac	7.70	
Follett Library Book Co. - Books	526.64	
NH-VT Bicentennial - Cards	5.11	
George P. Winship Jr. - Book Plates ...	10.00	
Scholastic Magazines - Magazines	<u>575.45</u>	2,292.97

Teaching Supplies

Psychological Service - Tests	35.10
Center for Applied Research - Science .	32.44
Argus Communications -	
Sensitivity Cards	21.46
Bryant School Supply - Reading Cards .	51.75
Countryman Press, Inc.-Library	6.45
Educators Publish. Service - Book	12.74
Psychological Test Spec. - Tests	17.66
Laidlow Brothers - Workbooks	35.21
Mainco - Paper & Supplies	856.07
Louise's Sport Shop - Athletic Equip. . .	146.56
Modern Curriculum Press - Workbooks	227.67
Scott Foresman & Co. - Workbooks	673.35
Tortos/Cambosco - Leaflets	10.45
McGraw-Hill Book Co. - Workbooks . . .	157.01
Silver Burdett Co. - Workbooks	77.74
Henry Wolkins Co. - Supplies	821.67
Northern Supply Co. - Dup. Paper	1,060.76
Edmund Scientific - Science Equip. . . .	177.00
ABC School Supply - Art Tissue	31.18
Wolverine Sports - Gym Supplies	7.98
Documentary Photo Aids - Books	158.00
GSC Athletic Equipment - Ball Seal . . .	27.40
NE Audio-Visual - Film	11.52
Wilcox & Follett Co. - Workbooks	3.69
The Highsmith Co. - Cards & Labels . . .	42.53
J. Weston Walch - Posters	46.20
Curriculum Association - Word use kit .	16.69
Benefic Press - Books	26.00
Crestwood House - Paperbacks	26.59
Croft, Inc. - Book	10.35
Fisher Scientific - Science Equip.	94.01
Ginn & Co. - Workbooks	70.39
Harper & Row Publish. - Workbooks . .	652.61
HB Educational Systems -	
Glass Analysis Kit	65.81
DC Heath & Co. - Workbooks	80.51
Houghton Mifflin Co. - Workbooks	101.90
Lakeshore Curriculum - Music Books . .	21.94
Charles E. Merrill Co. - Book	4.15
NASCO - Burlap	17.07
Rand McNally & Co. - Books	50.08
Scholastic Book Service - World Atlas . .	27.76
Science Kit, Inc. - Science Equip.	221.21
3M Business Products	69.20
Smith Office Supply - Copy Paper	42.00
J.L. Hammett Co. - Art Supplies	333.70

Harcourt Brace Jovanovich -		
Vocabulary Kit	28.11	
NE School Supply - Paper Supplies	54.55	6764.22
Contracted Services for Instruction		
The City of Boston - Mass. Gen. Hosp. .	19.80	
The Rehabilitation Center -		
Speech Eval.	516.00	
Psychological Corp. - Tests	457.29	
Rinehart, Inc. - Handwriting		
Supervision	300.00	
American Guidance Service - Math Kits	104.33	
Supervisory Union #14 - Accountability .	270.00	
Leslie Livingston - Therapy	56.25	
James K. Clark - Testing Fee	125.00	
Easter Seal Society - Speech Evaluation .	80.00	
M.L. Hanney - Workshop	66.00	
Richard Berke, PH.D. - Testing Fee . . .	275.00	2,269.67
Other Expenses for Instruction		
The Exeter Flower Shop - Graduation . .	35.05	
Seacoast Educ. Service - Supplies	79.98	
Jacqueline F. Bernier - Courses	125.00	
Ellis School - Petty Cash - Supplies	219.81	
NHASP - Dues	165.00	
Supervisory Union #14 Office Supplies .	77.58	
American History - Subscription	10.00	
William H. Standen, Jr. - Conference . .	83.75	
Center Applied Research - Almanac . . .	14.94	
NH Highway Motel - Conference	23.32	
N.H. School Admin. Assoc. - Confer. . .	36.00	
The Exceptional Parent Bookstore-Book	9.45	
Supt. of Documents - Subscription . . .	11.00	
Linda Thomson - mileage	24.00	
Economics Press Inc. - Magazines	15.55	
Allyn & Bacon Inc. - Science Book . . .	15.06	
Edward O. Hatch - Diplomas	117.35	
Marto Engravers - Bronze Pins	31.50	
Cheryl Catanzaro - course	84.00	
Center Educ. Field Serv. - Sch. Census .	91.02	1,274.36
N.H. Music Educators - Dues	5.00	
Salaries for Attendance Services		25.00
Health Services		
Salaries for Health Services		3,919.00
Other Expenses for Health Services		
Kingston Pharmacy - Tissues	62.99	

Paul Gustavson, MD - Mumps Injection	6.00	
Northern Supplies - Supplies	20.15	
American School Health - Journal	25.00	
Pyllis Streeter - Transportation	50.00	
School Health Supply - First Aid	90.92	
Contracted Services for Transportation		
Timberlane Transportation - Busses		20,806.32
Operation of Plant		
Salaries for Operation of Plant	9,428.00	
Refund	1,576.63	7,851.37
Supplies for Operation of Plant		
Central Paper Products - Towels	31.90	
Portsmouth Paper Co.-Towels & Supplies	314.90	
Seacoast Educational Services - Supplies	63.00	
James Rosencrantz - Blades, Filters	39.95	
MD Stetson Co. - Custodial Supplies	1,500.54	
Epping Hardware - Tools	17.56	
Lumbertown, Inc. Custodial Supplies	203.62	
Youngs, Inc. - Supplies	55.60	
General Electric - Bulbs	30.72	
Simplex Time Recorder - Parts	21.27	
Portland Glass - Plexi Glass	20.13	2,299.19
Contracted Services for Operation of Plant		
C.L. & R.S. Magnusson - Septic Tank	60.00	
Myron W. Cate - Rubbish Removal	579.25	
Judd Farm & Greenhouse -		
Flowers 5/31/79	11.00	650.25
Heat		
Nichols Oil Co. - Oil		7,583.30
Utilities		
Public Service - Electric	4,335.31	
Suburban Propane - Gas	439.88	
NE Telephone - Phone	666.36	5,441.55
Maintenance of Plant		
Replacement of Non-Instructional Equip.		
Epping Hardware - Ladder & Shover		61.18
Contracted Services for Maintenance		
Instructional Equipment		
AB Dick Co. - Parts	6.44	
3M BPSI - Maintenance	94.22	
Smith Office Equipment - Parts	47.00	
America Copy Toner & Service	123.72	271.38
Contracted Services for Maintenance -		
Non-Instructional Equip.		
Food Machines Service - Repair Mixer	91.80	
Simplex Time Recorder - Fire Alarm	318.54	
Door Control Inc. - Door Closer	61.00	
Smith's Fire Equipment - Equip.	29.00	500.34

Contracted Services for Maintenance of Buildings & Grounds		
AB Dick Co. - Copier	83.23	
Lee Roofing Co.-Roof - Labor & Mat.	1,980.00	
Barber Coleman Co. - Service	485.89	
Brentwood Hot Top Co. - Work on		
Catch Basin	235.00	
Dale's Roofing - Roof Resurfacing	550.00	
Leon Holmes - Tar - School Yard	461.25	
Nichols Oil Co. - Service	128.00	
J.R. Pepper Electric - Repair Lighting	519.62	
Oscar Houle - Roof Repair	700.00	
Suburban Propane - Service	93.70	
Exeter Tree Services - Spraying	51.00	
Door Control Inc. - Door Repair	80.00	5,367.69
Repair to Building (Materials Only)		
Lumbertown Inc. - Supplies	50.85	
Portland Glass - Plexi Glass	11.35	62.20
Fixed Charges		
Teacher Retirement		2,538.80
F.I.C.A.		6,788.32
Insurance		
Barlett Ins. Agency-Insurance including		
Treasurer's Bond		4,881.74
Blue Cross - Health Ins.	1,005.50	
Refund	119.00	886.50
School Lunch and Special Milk		
Salaries for Sch. Lunch Personnel	7,081.29	
Refund	4,948.46	2,132.83
Federal Monies		8,308.99
District Monies		201.03
Student Body Activities		
Salaries		500.00
Transfer of Monies to Student Body		
Activity Fund		400.00
Expenditures of Sch. District Monies for		
Community Activities		100.00
Capital Outlay		
New Equipment for Instruction		
Lumbertown Inc. - Lumber, Bookcases	144.99	
Northern Supply Co. - Chalkboard	35.65	
Exeter & Hampton Electric - Equip.	16.64	
Christa Herrick - Equipment	300.00	497.28
New Equipment for Non-Instruction		
M.D. Stetson Co. - Desk Lift		125.00
Debt Service		
Principal of Debt.		18,600.00
Interest on Debt		8,477.17

Outgoing Transfer Accounts

Tuition In State

Supervisory Union #16 - Tuition	11,995.38	
Treasurer-Raymond Sch. Dist. Tuition	9,105.76	
Sanborn Regional Sch. Dist.- Tuition	113,677.43	
Pinkerton Academy - Tuition	25,995.29	
Epping School District - Tuition	2,688.00	
Dover School Dept. - Tuition	5,640.00	
Raymond School District - Tuition	2,788.00	
Refund	4,070.31	167,819.55
Transportation to In State Schools		
Irwin Paris - Special Ed.	3,660.00	
Marion Hannan - Special Ed.	435.76	
Sandra Motowidlak - Special Ed.	405.72	4,501.48
District Share of Supervisory Union Exp.		<u>10,723.71</u>
Total Expenditures		\$422,573.05
Cash on Hand June 30, 1979		15,703.82
Total		\$438,276.87

Superintendent's Report

Not long ago the late Raymond Hoyt, former headmaster of Sanborn Seminary, and later, a very successful superintendent of schools in Exeter said, in one of his annual reports, that it didn't seem possible that he was submitting his 17th annual Superintendent's Report. I know exactly how Mr. Hoyt felt, for this happens to be my 18th report. Since becoming superintendent of schools in S.A.U. No. 14 in 1962, I've seen many changes in public education. I sincerely believe that, for the most part, these changes have been for the good.

However, many public education critics today would have us believe differently. They claim that our standards have declined and that our system is near or approaching complete chaos. These individuals say that our pupils can neither read nor write, that our teachers are poorly trained, that the schools are unsafe, that test scores are way down, that public professional educators don't care anymore and that in general public education is just plain failing.

Back in 1647 when public education was born in this nation, schools were basically asked to teach the three "R's"; reading, 'riting and 'rithmetic. Today, however, according to Mr. Wilson Riles, State Superintendent of Schools in California, schools are being asked, "to do what people used to ask God to do". He probably isn't far from wrong.

Our schools are being asked to feed our students breakfast, as well as lunch; to check student's vision, hearing and teeth; to teach children how to brush their teeth; to teach good nutrition and good health habits; to integrate the schools where communities have failed to do so in their own neighborhoods; to provide recreation; to teach respect for others, as well as for themselves; to show young people how to ride bikes safely and how to drive cars; to teach how babies are made; and to convince young people not to use drugs. In the past, the family or some other agency handled many of these responsibilities, but today, they seem to have become the responsibility of public education.

We would be the first to admit that public education is far from perfect, but, even with all these additional tasks, we do have a measure of success.

Today's students are reading better at the 6th and 10th grade levels than those of 30 years ago, according to a 1976 national study conducted by Indiana University. This is surprising, since in a Neilson TV watching poll, it was shown that by the time the average person in our country is 18 years of age, he or she has watched 18,000 hours of TV. This compares to 15,000 hours spent in school.

Also the percent of functionally illiterates in the United States has dropped from 11.3% in 1900 to a mere 1.2% in 1970.

It is further interesting to note that between the years of 1968 and 1978 circulation in American Public Libraries rose by 15%. This fact is also surprising in view of the various forms of entertainment available in America today. We are obviously reading more, and our schools start our people on this road.

The editors of Better Homes & Gardens reported in 1978 that 60% of the United States population rated the quality of education being offered in our schools as "good" or "very good".

In a 1979 Gallup Poll 53% of parents with children in school said their children were getting a better education than they did.

In 1900, only 6% of the seventeen year olds finished high school, where as in 1975, 75% were graduated.

In 1900, one third of the total school enrollment missed classes regularly while in 1976, only 8% were habitual absentees.

1950, the average twenty-five year old had completed only 9.3 years of schooling; in 1976 this figure was up to 12.3 years. It is even higher today.

The United States ranks number one among all countries on the basis of percent of 15 to 18 year olds enrolled in schools.

Incidentally twenty-three of the first twenty-five entrants assigned to Lunar Missions were public school graduates.

Many of the above statistics and certain other material used in this report were obtained from a 1979 publication issued by the California Association of School Administrators, entitled "What's Right With Education".

Perhaps one of the loudest complaints of public education today is the frequently cited test score decline.

In an article criticizing public education, recently published in a New Hampshire newspaper, Mr. Allan C. Braunfield stated that it was announced in September 1979 that the school aptitude test scores of the American high school seniors fell in 1979, continuing a downward trend that began a decade ago. He uses this argument to show that students are learning less today. Of course he does not state that the actual drop in scores since 1963 on the SAT is only 3 questions in math and 7 verbal. Before one accepts Mr. Braunfield's conclusion one must first understand that the school aptitude test is not intended to evaluate education in grades 1 through 12. The college entrance examination boards, creator of the SAT, has said many times that, "the sole purpose of the SAT test is to predict how well students will perform in college.

Yet, even with such a minor drop in these scores, former Secretary of Labor Willard Wirtz, chaired a committee to look into the matter. The panel stated that, starting in the mid 1960's a larger percentage of students with comparatively lower high school grade averages were going on to college, and that a larger percent of young people were staying in school through 12th grade with the consequence that there has been a lowering of the averages on examinations, taken previously by a more select group. The panel tells us that we are enrolling over a million more students in our colleges and universities in 1979 than we were just ten short years ago.

Is then, the missing of three more math and seven more verbal questions on the SAT really this dramatic? Probably not, when one considers that a greater cross section of students are taking the SAT's at a time when public education is being asked to do more and more.

Instead of criticizing, one should probably commend public education for meeting the needs of the students as well as it has. Is it not the goal of public education to provide more education for a greater number of our young citizens in order to prepare them with the skills they need to survive in a very complex society — rather than to attain high college entrance exam scores on SAT's?

At a time when we are minimizing the importance of preparing pupils primarily to score well on college entrance exams, we must insist that public education continue to provide a sound foundation of basic skills for our students. We must further insist that all capable students demonstrate certain competencies in reading, writing, and arithmetic prior to receiving a high school diploma. Today, this is commonly referred to as "Educational Accountability".

In Mr. Standen's report this year he speaks of "Accountability", especially as it relates to Grades 1 through 8 at Ellis School.

Mr. Standen Reports:

The Accountability Plan, as it affects Fremont as well as the other towns in our School Administrative Unit No. 14 is receiving more and more attention lately. Citizens across the country are asking for an accounting of where the money for education goes. We wish to assure people as to the quality of local education. Each group in society is concerned with the quality of education.

The State Department of Education, in conjunction with each local school board, is in the process of implementing a plan to take effect by June of 1981. Our plan involves the four towns in our administrative unit and the boards have agreed to join together to pool costs and other resources.

We have been asked to complete a six step cycle by 1981. The first step is to develop outcomes for the student in the fourth, eighth and twelfth grades. The subjects, to begin with, would be language arts, reading, mathematics and United States - New Hampshire government.

Our unit must then devise means of measuring these things we want to have happen. We must then test in order to measure the performance of our students. The fourth step is concerned with developing a process that will provide the teachers, parents, administrators, and taxpayers with useful information. The fifth step is a report to the local community and the state. Finally we must manage the plan from year to year making necessary adjustments.

The result should be a quality education for all our children.

Respectfully submitted,
Francis C. Wilson
Superintendent of Schools

School Board Report

The money spent for educating students, maintaining facilities, and paying personnel makes the costs of running a school a complex and expensive project. Persons involved with educational systems soon become very aware of this, but all taxpayers should realize that many state and federal statutes, particularly for school districts, must be funded by local means. Approximately 75% of all money which must be appropriated for a school year is spent for basic minimum services required by state and federal laws. Of this 75%, the state and federal share finances about 13%; the rest comes from the taxpayers pocket. Since such a large share comes from local taxes, the Fremont School Board would like to mention some of the new innovations or programs upon which these funds are being spent.

Remodeling done during the summer of 1979 has given Ellis School a Special Education classroom and provided separate areas for Remedial Reading and the Title I program. This expanded space has made it possible to provide Remedial Reading for 29 children this year.

The Special Education program, in its first year, has an enrollment of 17. If Ellis could not provide these services, in house, these children would have to be sent out of the district, at a far higher tuition cost. Our Special Ed teacher is also certified to provide guidance counselling, and her allotted time for this is fully booked.

New sinks with automatic shut-off faucets were installed in the bathrooms of the original wing. An additional slop sink was added to each bathroom.

Energy conservation items done during the summer included weatherstripping doors and caulking windows. Thermostats are now covered with a locked cage, to prevent random adjustments.

The Board would like to mention one final item which has changed since last year. There has been a new accounting system which was put into effect by the state. It will give school districts a much more detailed breakdown of costs and expenditures. But because this is the transition year, it may be difficult to make a comparison between the published budget for 1980 - 81 and the previous year.

In closing, the Fremont School Board would like to thank the Fremont PTA for their continued support of various services and programs. We also thank those individuals who are generously giving their time on a volunteer basis. We would again like to remind everyone that school board meetings are open to the public. Meetings are normally held on the fourth Tuesday of every month, 7:30 PM, at the Ellis School Library.

Mary T. Stiner
Leonard L. Bonagura
Maureen L. Buhrman
School Board

Ellis School Statistical Data 1978 - 1979

Number of different pupils enrolled during the year	206
Total Average Daily Membership	186.5
Total Average Daily Attendance	175.4
Total Average Daily Absence	11.1
Average Percent Attendance	94.1
Number completed Grade 8	15

Ellis School September Enrollment

Grade 1	27	Grade 5	26
Grade 2	27	Grade 6	16
Grade 3	25	Grade 7	20
Grade 4	31	Grade 8	25

Total 197

Sanborn Regional High School

Statistical Data 1978 - 79

Number of Fremont pupils enrolled during the year	82
Total Average Daily Membership	69.1
Total Average Daily Attendance	63.4
Total Average Daily Absence	5.7
Average Percent Attendance	91.7
Number completed Grade 12	12

Pupils Attending Schools Outside the District

Sanborn Regional High School

Grade 9

Joan Bolduc	Beth Walker
Pamela Downing	Joseph Bolduc
Lois Edgerly	Steven Emery
Cherie Melanson	Michael Mercier
Stephanie Nichols	Frank Picard
Rhonda Smith	Michael Porter

Michael Roy

Grade 10

Heidi Bezanson	Christine Hayward
Diane Blades	Kelly Holmes
Donna Blades	Aureli Lafayette
Kimberly Cadiero	Kim Strople
Terry Copp	Tracy Whitman
Patricia Downing	Gerald Allen
Kathleen Donigian	Ted Bolduc
Brenda Garron	Michael Menard

Duncan Urguhart

Grade 11

Lisa Anderson
Tammy McKay
Ruthann Bolduc
Teresa Carrico
Diana Davis
Kevin Copp
Kevin Holmes
Scott Salois

Lynda Donigian
Kathleen Johnston
Jennifer Larson
Julie Larson
David Downing
David Gaudet
Arthur Nolan
Albert Mercier

Grade 12

Ellen Boden
Julie Denney
Elizabeth Duerr
Susanne Ebert
Colleen Emery
Wendy Gaudett
Kathy Menard
Jane Stanley

Todd Bernier
Jacob Donigian
Frank Edgerly
Gregg Fockler
Scott LeClair
Steven Nicholson
Richard Rislove
Jim Canney

Sheryl Whitman

Pinkerton Academy

Grade 9

Maureen Buhrman
William Kelly

Heather Langton
Sheila Stackpole

Grade 10

Wayne Feenstra
David Lamb

Frank Rank
Susan Stackpole

William Stiner

Grade 11

Wendy Bishop
Sheridan Buhrman
Mary Jo Cannon

Albert Henson
Todd Langton
Danielle McRae

Grade 12

Charles Buhrman
Mark Downing

Natalie Marquis

Epping High School

Allison Brown

Virginia Marquis

Brenda Peterson

Exeter - Seacoast Elementary Program

Brenda Collins

John Currier

Marie Guanga

Exeter - Seacoast Junior High Program

Donald Fortier
John Gove

Michael LeClair
James Motowidlak

Matthew Powell

Raymond Consolidated Schools

Kathleen Rock

1980-81 School Administrative Unit No. 14

Budget (Preliminary)

Receipts

Cash on Hand as of June 30, 1979	4,000.00
State Support	4,900.00
Total Receipts	8,900.00

Expenditures

Administration

Salaries

Supervisory Union Officers	350.00
Administrative & Supervisory	57,460.00
Clerical and Technical	38,600.00
Other Expenses	19,375.00
Operation of Plant	5,200.00
Maintenance of Plant	1,000.00
Fixed Charges	16,675.00
Capital Outlay	1,000.00
Contingency Fund	300.00
Total Expenditures	\$139,960.00
Less Estimated Receipts (from above)	8,900.00
Amount to be shared by districts	\$131,060.00

Distribution of \$131,060.00 to be raised by districts

District	1976	Valuation Percent	1978-79 Pupils	Pupil Percent	Combined Percent	District Share
	Equalized Valuation					
Chester	\$ 27,844,094	23.9	307.7	16.9	20.4	\$ 26,736.24
Epping	32,676,465	28.1	710.5	39.0	33.6	44,036.16
Fremont	13,429,453	11.5	186.5	10.2	10.8	14,154.48
Newmarket	42,550,425	36.5	618.6	33.9	35.2	46,133.12
Total	\$116,500,437	100.00	1823.3	100.0	100.0	\$131,060.00

Date - December 5, 1979

Richard J. Bajger

Chairman, S.A.U. Board

School Administrative Unit No. 14

Administrative Salaries

1979 - 80

District	Share of Superintendent's Salary	Share of Asst. Superintendent's Salary
Chester	\$ 5,575.20	\$ 3,161.30
Epping	9,218.40	5,227.10
Fremont	2,980.80	
 Fremont	 2,980.80	 1,690.20
Newmarket	9,825.60	5,571.40
	27,600.00	15,650.00
State Share	3,000.00	2,350.00
\$ 30,600.00	\$ 18,000.00	

Tentative School Calendar

1980 - 81

School opens September 3, 1980 (Wednesday)	
School closes December 19, 1980 (Friday)	73
School Opens January 5, 1981 (Monday)	
School closes February 20, 1981 (Friday)	35 days
School opens March 2, 1981 (Monday)	
School closes April 24, 1981 (Friday)	40days
School opens May 4, 1981 (Monday)	
School closes June 12, 1981 (Friday)	32 days
	180 days

NO SCHOOL DAYS

October 13 - Columbus Day
 October 17 - Teachers' Convention
 November 11 - Veterans' Day
 November 27 and 28 Thanksgiving Recess
 December 22 to January 2 - Christmas Vacation
 February 23 to February 27 - Winter Vacation
 April 27 to May 1 - Spring Vacation
 June 12 - Last day of school

Marriages Registered in the Town of Fremont

For the year ending December 31, 1978

Date of Marriage	Name of Groom	Residence	Bride	Residence
Feb. 3	Thomas J. Griffin	Fremont, N.H.	Barbara A. Noury	Fremont, N.H.
Feb. 11	Robert H. McKeen	Fremont, N.H.	Esther L. Newton	Kittery, ME
April 14	Brian J. Jalbert	Fremont, N.H.	Audrey L. Eaton	Fremont, N.H.
April 21	George F. Payer	Fremont, N.H.	Gretchen A. Gott	Fremont, N.H.
July 21	Robert L. Anderson	Fremont, N.H.	Carolyn A. January	Fremont, N.H.
Aug. 11	Thomas Robert Swirka	Fremont, N.H.	Joanne Elizabeth Fiore	Fremont, N.H.
Sept. 8	Norman O. Fuller	Lynn, Mass.	Gail A. Gaudet	Fremont, N.H.
Dec. 14	Bruce D. VanGuilder	Fremont, N.H.	Claire A. Cusseau	Danville, N.H.

Births Registered in the Town of Fremont, N.H.

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Date	Child's Name	Father	Mother	Birth Place
Jan. 17	Kyle Brian Smith	Stephen R. Smith	Michelle Marson	Exeter, N.H.
Jan. 31	Lisa Ann Dischino	Angelo C. Dischino	Susan M. Boynton	Exeter, N.H.
March 16	Cory Lee McAlpin	Gordon F. McAlpin	Karen L. Lagasse	Exeter, N.H.
March 16	David Eric Lilly	Stephen M. Lilly	Carolyn E. Ball	Haverhill, Mass.
May 12	Jo Ann Mary Puzo	Louis P. Puzo	Joan M. Flynn	Exeter, N.H.
May 25	Seth Robert Wines	Robert G. Wines	Cynthia A Tardiff	Manchester, N.H.
July 25	Karla Marie Estabrook	Philip H. Estabrook	Aleta L. Darling	Exeter, N.H.

